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THE ANNUAL BALL

Of the Lowell Police Relief Association.

"COPS" OF ALL DEGREES JOIN IN THE DANCE.

A Brilliant Assembly and Fine Decorations.

Time in its onward flight apparently turned backward for a few happy hours last night for the old timers of the police department did then disport themselves in Huntington hall.

It was an old time dance, the eighth annual ball of the Police Relief association, an annual coming together as it were of all the old blue coats and their cronies with hundreds of young people to help them cheat time.

They were all there those "old fellows" and they danced like professionals, while John Walsh, Peter Cawley, Doc Allen, Con. Howard, John Dennett and the rest of the young fellows were dancing all the time.

The storm did not interfere with the size of the attendance and up to midnight the hall, floor and galleries were packed.

The decorations were grander than usual, consisting of numerous streamers of vari-colored bunting artistically arranged running from the centre of the ceiling, under which was suspended a mammoth bell, to every corner of the building. The windows and boxes were handsomely draped with lace while the stage, occupied by the orchestra, was decorated with potted plants and palms by McMannon.

From eight till nine the American orchestra directed by Emile Borjes rendered the following concert program:

Overture, "The Viking's Daughter,".....Budds
a. Romance, "Day Dreams,".....Robinson
b. Scherzo, "The Indian Maid,".....Catlin
Concert solo, "War Memories,".....Hartmann
Mr. R. McDaniel.
Grand selection from Flotows Opera "Martha."
Xylophone solo, "Old Favorites,".....Stobbe
Mr. H. Dufresne.
Medley overture, "On Broadway,".....De Witt
American orchestra, Mr. E. J. Borjes, conductor.

Shortly after 9 the march was begun and it was the most pleasing feature of the evening. It was led by Deputy McQuade in full dress uniform and Mrs. James E. Mitchell who was exquisitely attired in a gown of changeable silk. Then followed Officers John Walsh and wife, James Holland and Miss Lee, John B. Crowley and Miss Mowatt. Hugh Maguire and Miss Reagan and some 200 other couples. All the officers were attired in full dress uniform while many of the ladies were beautifully gowned.

After the march an order of 24 numbers was entered upon with an intermission at midnight for supper.

During the evening the police commissioners dropped in as did Mayor Courtney and members of the city government. Supt. Davis was with the young fellows all night.

At 12.30 the night shift blew in and warmed up with a few whirls around the hall and at 2.30 the enjoyable affair was brought to a close.

The officers of the affair and their assistants were as follws:

Gen. Manager, Supt. Davis.
Floor Director, J. A. Walsh.
Asst. Floor Director, J. E. Holland.
Aids, F. Fox, E. Fox, W. H. Grady, C. Gregg, H. Farrington, D. Lane, A. E. Libby, A. J. Page, P. Fitzpatrick, R. W. Stowell, C. E. Ryder, L. E. Ingalls, H. Maguire, M. J. Lennon, E. T. Swan, J. Boyle, P. H. Brady, J. Buchanan, Eloi Breault, J. E. Crowley, J. J. Crowley, P. Cawley, M. Connors, H. W. Clement, P. T. Corcoran, J. M. Dunfey, H. Downey M. A. Maher, R. Welch Jr., J. S. Dennett, B. Kane, G. W. Marshall, W. H. O'Brien, M. O'Connell, N. Provencher, J. H. McKay, J. Hickson, D. H. Hogan, T. McCloughrey, J. T. Whittaker, A. Murphy, B. Ryan, J. W. Tilton, A. M. Holman, J. F. Hurley.

Reception committee—Chairman, Supt. George E. Davis; Deputy McQuade, Deputy Moffatt, Lieut. Kew, Lieut. Dunlavey, Sergt. Brosnan, Sergt. Palmer, Inspector Allen, Inspector Donaldson, Inspector Goodwin, Inspector Laflamme, C. Howard, T. J. Sanborn, A. Duncan, W. G. Bumps, C. McIntee, D. J. Breen, E. N. Grinnell, H. N. Tilton, J. R. Mackenzie.

Democratic City Committee.

The contest between Fisher H. Pearson and James H. Chrmichael for chairman of the democratic city committee promises to be a lively one. Mr. Pearson's friends claim that they can count votes sufficient to elect him, while Col. Carmichael's friends are equally confident.

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CHENEY ELECTED

Superintendent of Streets Over Crowley.

CITY MESSENGER CAHILL STILL IN POSSESSION.

The Howe-Wilson Contest Yet Unsettled.

"Bob" Crowley is out.

The aldermen last night named Cleveland J. Cheney as his successor, and the councilmen graciously fell into line.

The contest between Aldermen Howe and Wilson for a place on the water board is still on. The former is the aldermen's choice, and the council stands for the latter.

Mr. Wilson has pledged himself if elected to vote against Supt. Thomas of the water board and that accounts for his election in the council. Mr. Howe says he will not make any promises till he is elected.

At last night's meeting of the common council, Councilmen Hartwell and John P. O'Hare were paired, the latter being absent owing to the death of his mother.

All the aldermen were present when Mayor Courtney called to order.

Notices of the elections in the lower board were read.

William H. Gordon, Ezra E. Mansur, John E. Maguire and John J. Gray were nominated and confirmed as constables.

Notices of claim for bodily injuries of Bridget Allen was referred.

The school board petitioned for the following new school buildings and 12 room school to take the place of the Bartlett school: 6 room school on Carter street; 4 room school at Tyler park; 4 room addition to the Lincoln school; 2 room addition to the Lakeview avenue school; a new hall in the Varnum school; 2 new rooms at the Training school and one new room at the Varnum avenue school.

Several building permits were granted.

Several sewer assessments were approved.

On motion of Alderman Flemings a ballot was taken for superintendent of streets. The result as announced was: Robert E. Crowley 1, Cleveland J. Cheney 4, George L. Fowler 3, blank 1, and there was no choice.

Another ballot was then taken, with the following result: Cleveland J. Cheney 5, George L. Fowler 4, and Mr. Cheney was declared elected.

Alderman Dow moved to ballot for a member of the water board from the board of aldermen. The motion passed and the vote stood, Charles E. Howe 5, John C. Wilson 3, Charles Howe 1, and Mr. Howe was declared elected on the part of the aldermen.

Alderman Crowley moved that the appointments of Michael O'Boyle and John McManus as constables, against whom remonstrance was offered be referred to the special committee appointed for that purpose.

The motion passed.

Aldermen Crowley and Pevey were appointed a committee to approve the clerk's record.

A recess of 10 minutes was then taken.

The board reassembled and Mayor Courtney appointed Aldermen Crowley and Howe on the committee on salaries.

The board then adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.

It was after 8.30 when President Webster called the council to order last night. The new clerk, Frank N. Owen was on duty and seemed to get the run of things all right.

The council extended a vote of thanks to the retired clerk, Frank J. Simonds for faithful service.

Messrs. Hunton and Reynolds were appointed a committee to approve the clerk's records.

The petition of the school board for new schools and improvements, was laid on the table till the next meeting, on motion of Mr. Hounsell.

Messrs. Hunton, Rivet and Miskella were appointed a committee to revise the jury list and a recess was taken while they did the work.

It was five minutes after 10 o'clock when the councilmen reassembled.

Mr. Eveleth moved to ballot for a superintendent of streets.

Mr. Hartwell who was paired with Councilman John O'Hare asked permission to vote on this matter.

Pres. Webster said that this could not be done unless written notice was given that the pair had been dissolved. If the matter were left to the council it is only natural to suppose that the republican majority would vote to give Mr. Hartwell the privilege.

Mr. Hounsell moved that the democrats be allowed to decide whether or not Mr. Hartwell should vote.

Mr. Sullivan moved that Mr. Hartwell be permitted to vote, but after thinking the matter over, Mr. Hartwell decided to refrain from voting.

The ballot was then taken and resulted in 24 votes for Cleveland J. Cheney and 1 for George L. Fowler, and Mr. Cheney was declared elected.

Mr. Drewett moved to ballot for city messenger.

Mr. Sullivan moved as an amendment to adjourn.

Mr. Hounsell raised the point of order that the amendment is not germaine to the original question and the chair decided the point well taken.

Mr. Thornton moved as an amendment to ballot for a member of the water board from the aldermen. The amendment prevailed.

The result of the ballot was: Charles E. Howe 10, John C. Wilson 15, and Mr. Wilson was declared elected in non-concurrence.

The committee appointed to examine the jury list recommended the adoption of the list and it was so voted.

Councilmen Jacobs, Nay, and Hallett were appointed on the committee on salaries.

Councilman Miskella moved to adjourn and the motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. Drewett a ballot was taken for city messenger with the following result: James H. Cahill 8, John C. Wilson 1, Edward T. Goward 7, L. F. Kittredge 1, C. F. Going 8, and there was no choice.

The council then adjourned.

Why Not?

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying to much for printing? Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

MARTIN TRAPPED

In Dual Life by Brother-in-Law.

MAINTAINED TWO HOUSES AND TWO WIVES.

One Wife a Former Lowell School Teacher.

Franklin H. Martin, the Boston druggist, accused by the police of being a polygamist, is alleged to have maintained two separate establishments, one in Medford and one in Back Bay district.

At his Medford home, a roomy suburban establishment of the prosperous type, he maintained an extensive pigeon cote, and raised and bred some of the valuable and fancy breeds of pigeons.

In this connection he was widely known and at the present pigeon show he exhibited a number of his prize pets from the Medford cote, winning prizes.

At the same time he presented to many who visited that place the dashing, handsome and youthful, Mrs. Martin, nee Burnell, as his wife, while many were acquainted with his first wife, by appearance at any rate, from their visits to his pigeon cote in Medford.

The suspicions of Arthur T. Burnell, his second wife's brother, were aroused. He had learned of his sister's whereabouts, after a long search, and his investigations brought about the arrest.

Franklin H. Martin spent his youth in Lowell, universally respected and popular. He made his home with his uncle, Franklin H. Martin, of the firm of Martin & Langley.

Here Martin, while employed as a clerk in the drug store of Brown & Bailey, became acquainted with Miss Mary E. Gerry, a teacher in the Highland school and a prominent member of the Eliot Congregational church.

The acquaintance ripened into love, and upon their engagement being announced their acquaintances congratulated the young couple on their bright prospects and assured happy future.

The marriage took place on July 11, 1888, in the Eliot Congregational church, the knot being tied by Rev. Dr. J. M. Greene, the pastor.

According to the record in the city clerk's office, Martin gave his residence as Watertown, and his occupation, druggist. His native place he gave as Bloomfield, Vt., aged 27 years. Mary S. Gerry gave her native place as Sudbury, and her occupation as school teacher.

The couple went to Watertown where Martin established a drug store and successfully launched in business. In this place the couple were prosperous and happy.

After four years he embarked in business for himself in the West End, having his home in Medford.

Finally he began to remain out owing to business demands, and stories of his association with other women began to reach his confiding wife at Medford.

At this point Miss Burnell appears in the case.

Alma Z. Burnell was a student at Bradford academy up to last May. She is tall and handsome, 18 years of age, and she belongs to a good family in Plattsburg, N. Y. Unexpectedly she went to New York city, and on Sept. 11 she was married by Rev. C. W. Griffin of Trinity church to Franklin H. Martin, a druggist at 1433 Washington street, Boston.

Martin hired a cosy little flat at 25 Dalton street, in the Back Bay, which he furnished handsomely, and for companion to his wife, he hired a dashing blonde, Alma Neuberg. There was evidence of wealth in the Martin family.

For a while the couple were very happy. Then there was an awakening. Monday night Martin was arrested, taken from the flat at 25 Dalton street, by Inspectors Cleary and Wolff, on complaint of Arthur J. Burnell, a West End employe.

On being placed in custody he made an effort to secure the evidence of his second marriage.

"Give me the certificate, do give it to me!" he pleaded. Mrs. Martin put him off.

"Well, I'll see if I can find it," she said. Then she fainted. She has not looked for the certificate, for all the time it was in the hands of Lawyer Arthur Fillipo, who is engaged by Alma's family to prosecute Martin.

Martin was arraigned in court yesterday for polygamy and held in $800, bonds being furnished.

NOT TOO LATE.

But There Will be Only One Term Given.

There is yet time to join Prof. Dodge's French class. Those who register today at 4.30 or 7.30 will be helped up with the class by private instruction. One term only will be given.

MATRIMONIAL.

Rev. O. H. Denney united in marriage last evening George A. Lindsay and Carrie H. McGregor. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth McGregor, 239 Cross street.

Miss Ina M Winters was bridesmaid, Mr. Melvin G. Gooch best man and Miss Mabel M. Palmer maid of honor.

Bradt Suicided.

An expert examination of the remains of Peter P. Bradt shows that he committed suicide. This is the fourth tragic death in the family. The others were accidental.

Monroe Doctrine Echoes.

Mr. Bull thinks the Monroe doctrine is great medicine for the other fellow.—New York Recorder.

The Cubans have a Monroe doctrine of their own and know how to defend it.—New York Advertiser.

It is expected that Venezuela will not fall into a delusion to the effect that it is the whole Monroe doctrine.—Washington Star.

In the light of current events, James Monroe's place in American history seems considerably more secure than it did six months ago. Nothing is more creditable to the statesmen of today than their willingness to turn back and take counsel from the fathers of the republic.—New York Mail and Express.

POOR OVERSEERS

Have Two Superintendents on Their Hands.

COLLINS AND PINDAR FIGHT FOR THE OFFCE.

Former Holds the Keys Pending Legal Advice.

In the city farm buildings, Col. Pindar took up his abode last evening, and was installed as superintendent. Under the same roof slept Supt. Collins, still claiming command and holding the keys to the institution.

Both men were in good spirits, and each was satisfied that he was in control. True, Collins had the keys; but Pindar claimed to have the job.

Yesterday afternoon's events with the overseers of the poor were considerably more exciting than those of Monday when the Colonel was elected to succeed Mr. Collins.

At 3 o'clock the overseers met at city hall and started for the city farm. They went in hacks, and by advice of City Solicitor Qua, they took Secretary Courtney with them. Arriving there they were admitted by Mr. Collins, and to him Capt. Kimball explained the object of their mission.

"We have come to place Col. Pindar in charge," said the captain.

"I shall not give up possession till the city solicitor instructs me to do so," replied Mr. Collins.

Mr. Collins complained that the board was pushing him.

Mr. Pindar assured him that he could remain at the city farm till he found a house. "But I shall take charge today," added the Colonel "and shall not interfere in the least with your private affairs."

Then the Colonel told Mr. Collins that its all a game or chance. "You succeeded me," he said, "and now I am back again. Probably you may return next year and it will be all right."

But Mr. Collins said he would never come back. He was tired of politics and will engage in business.

In the meantime, the board held a private talk and Capt. Kimball told Mr. Collins that the board wanted him to give up the keys.

"Don't be too hasty, nor do anything you will be sorry for," said Mr. Collins.

Then Capt. Kimball requested Mr. Collins to introduce Col. Pindar to the employes. Mr. Collins refused. The overseers asked to be shown through the building. "You better wait till tomorrow," said Mr. Collins.

But the overseers decided that the buildings are in their charge and they were privileged to go through them.

So they started and Mr. Collin's opened the doors to the different departments.

On the way Capt. Kimball introduced Col. Pindar to the employes and told them to take all orders from the Colonel.

The overseers, having finished the inspection, started for home, leaving Col. Pindar behind.

City Solicitor Qua and Lawyer Burke the latter representing Mr. Collins will have a conference upon the matter tomorrow when the trouble may be settled.

Supt. Collins was on duty today at the farm and said the city solicitor and Mr. Burke advised both superintendents to remain pending a decision tomorrow.

Last Night's Meeting.

The overseers of the poor held an adjourned meeting last night, and as was expected, President Kimball announced his committees.

They are made up as follows:

Accounts—Fletcher, Ela, Mahoney.

Agriculture—Williams, McKinley, Gilbride.

Clothing—Kimball, Gilbride, Fletcher.

Dispensary—McKinley, Williams, Donohoe.

Wood yard—Holgate, Fletcher, Donohoe.

Printing—Ela, Holgate, Mahoney.

Outdoor relief — McKinley, Holgate, Kimball.

Repairs of building—Williams, Kimball, Ela.

Supplies—Kimball, Williams, McKinley.

A ballot was taken for teacher and chaplain at the city farm and it resulted as follows: James J. Quinn 3, William A. Arnold 6, and Mr. Arnold was declared elected.

It was decided to hold the regular meetings on the last Thursday of each month.

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2 O'CLOCK

VIOLATE THE LAW

New York World Censured By Senator Lodge.

IT PLEADS GUILTY IN ADVANCE BY EDITORIAL

Of Communicatin With Foreign Powers by Cable.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The senate was treated yesterday to one of Mr. Vest's characteristic speeches. He arraigned the supreme court for the income tax decision; he laid the responsibility for the lack of revenue at their door when they exempted the "sordid wealth of the land" from taxation; he contrasted the records of the present and past administrations; he threw some light upon heretofore unknown chapters in the history of the McKinley law.

The other feature of the session grew out of the introduction by Mr. Chandler of a bill for a popular loan through the issue of postal savings certificates. In the course of Mr. Chandler's remarks, the cable replies of the Prince of Wales, the Rothschilds and others to the New York World were alluded to, and Mr. Lodge claimed that the editor of The World had been guilty of violating section 5335 of the revised statutes in holding communication with officials of another government, the purpose of which "was to interfere with a measure of the United States."

Mr. Gray (Del.) rebuked both Mr. Lodge and Mr. Chandler for the suggestion that public opinion could not be solicited either here or abroad on any question, and affirmed that a just public opinion in all civilized centers must be the final arbitration of all disputes.

Another brief session of the house was held, at which the only important business transacted were the admission of the new member from the new state of Utah —Mr. Allen—and the adoption of resolutions calling upon the attorney general for information concerning the enforcement of the anti-trust law and for recommendations of new legislation on the subject, and on the secretary of the treasury for statistics concerning the seal fisheries of the Behring sea. It is expected the house will take up the discussion of the new code of rules today, as the committee expects to be able to make a report by that time.

No Backdown.

A dispatch from New York quotes the following editorial from today's World concerning the proceedings in the senate:

Senator Lodge yesterday relieved the dreariness of political debate and added to the gayety of nations by quoting in the senate the celebrated section 5335. This is undoubtedly law. It is on the statute books. It is section 5335. It is re-enforced by section 2113 of the same era, which forbids corresponding with foreign governments to incite the Indians to raids on settlers. It is unquestionably the duty of Secretary Olney to enforce this law. It is not enough to print the law in the newspapers, as he has done. He should punish with the full severity of its penalties—not fine or imprisonment, but fine and imprisonment—anyone who has willfully violated it.

The World pleads guilty in advance, to having "without the permission or authority" of Mr. Cleveland or Mr. Olney, carried on intercourse by cable with Lord Salisbury, the Prince of Wales and Duke of York, the Rothschilds and other foreign dignitaries. The statute cited is aged, obsolete, mouldy, moth-eaten dust-covered, and was forgotten until resuscitated by the zeal and watchfulness of Secretary Olney.

Senator Gray's eloquent outburst in defense of publicity and the freedom was splendid, if it was necessary. We think we would like to retain Senator Gray for the defense when Secretary Olney brings his suit. The World will not descend into the dungeon and put out its million-candle-power torch of liberty and intelligence without a struggle.

Harvard Statistics.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 8.—The official catalogue of Harvard college for 1895 shows that the total number of university instructors is 360, against 337 a year ago. In the college there are 1771 students, against 1667 in 1894. Divided among the professional schools are the following numbers of students: Lawrence scientific school, 340; graduate school, 285; divinity school, 41; law school, 405; dental school, 102; medical school, 531; veterinary school, 55; Bussey institute, 15. The total number in the university is 3605, against 3295 in 1894.

A Conscience-Stricken Man.

GOUVERNEUR, N. Y., Jan. 8.—County Treasurer Sackett yesterday received a check from Boston for $150, together with an explanatory letter, in which the writer said that 12 years ago in this county he had killed a deer and one duck out of season and had never been discovered in his infringement of the game laws, but that his conscience was uneasy. The amount sent fully covers the largest possible fine which could be imposed, and interest.

Protest of Innocence of No Avail.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—The superior court has overruled the exceptions taken by Patrick Sullivan, Patrick J. Foley and Cornelius Nagle, convicted of murdering Duroy S. Foster of Billerica, Sept. 11, 1894, and the men must serve their life sentences. The men still protest their innocence and hope for a new trial in the future.

Suspected of Safe Blowing.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 8.—George Howard, with several aliases, was arrested yesterday on suspicion. He was around this city when the safe in the grist mill on the West Side was blown open. Howard is an old-time safe-blower, and has an extensive record.

Atwood Has Nothing to Say.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—Harrison H. Atwood, Republican congressman from the Tenth Massachusetts district, still declines to make any statement regarding the unexpected withdrawal of the criminal libel suit against Frederick W. Peabody, in which the congressman was the complainant. As the result of the termination of the suit, the press of both parties have called upon Mr. Atwood to resign his seat in congress.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

"After the ball."

All is quiet.

Adam Douglass pleaded not guilty of striking Andre Lebdnick with a stove-lifter, which in appearance is similar to a flat-iron. He was held in $800 until Jan. 18.

There was one lone drunk, William E. Brady, who got six months at Bridgewater.

Hugh Rogers, charged with being a common drunkard and complained of by his wife, was sent to Bridgewater for six months.

The cases of four Turks charged with assault and battery was then taken up with Lawyer Stevens for the government and Lawyer McVey for the defendants. Judge Hadley got off a neat little joke when Lawyer Stevens was reading the complaints. "This is a case of four Turks for assault and battery, Your Honor," said Mr. Stevens.

"Is the complainant an Armenian?" inquired the court.

Two interpreters applied for the job but the man furnished by Lawyer McVey did the honors. There was an abundance of witnesses.

DEATHS.

MONAHAN—James H. Monahan, aged 56 years, died yesterday at 5 New Spalding street. Mr. Monahan was a well known contractor of this city, and he leaves a family of grown up children, Charles U., James H., William and John Monahan, and a daughter, Mrs. Clara B. Burns.

CHAMBERLAIN—Mary Chamberlain aged 97 years died at her home 117 Fulton street.

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People's Club.

The secretary, James Watson submitted the following report to the board of trustees of the People's club last evening: The reports of attendance for December were presented as follows: Men's branch reading room, 3731, average 149; books taken 174; amusement room, 2676, average, 107; women's branch reading room, 1001, average 37; amusement room, 1246, average 47.

A Heartless Mother.

The mother of the little Hadley boy who ran away from his home in Boston and came here, was in town yesterday in search of evidence to send her boy to Thompson's Island for the remainder of his minority. She didn't succeed. No wonder a boy runs away from such a heartless mother.

HOW WILL IT END?

A Correspondent Thinks We Shall Have a Commercial Treaty With England.

What is likely to be the outcome of the Venezuelan affair? This is a question which I have heard discussed in high official circles in Washington. It is believed by men who are in admirable position to know what is going on that the end of the whole matter will be found in a treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain.

According to this treaty, if the project now talked of be worked out to completion, Great Britain will agree to submit to arbitration not only all of the boundary disputes which she may have with this government, but all those arising between British colonies in the American hemisphere and other powers.

I am not able to say that any proposition looking to this end has been made, either by Great Britain or the United States. In fact, I am sure that no such proposal has been formally made by either nation. But I am equally certain that in one of the many ways known to the art of diplomacy an intimation has been received in Washington from London that ultimately Great Britain may propose such method of settling not only the Venezuelan dispute, but all legitimate contentions concerning territory in this hemisphere.

Whether these intimations are in the form of "feelers," and intended as a means of providing Lord Salisbury with a graceful means of retreat from his present predicament, or whether they are the outgrowth of a general belief that arbitration is becoming a part of the higher international law, and that application of it to all American disputes would work to the advantage of Great Britain by saving her annoyance and cost, is of course purely conjectural.—Walter Wellman in Chicago Times-Herald.

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CUBAN REPUBLIC

May Be Established Six Months Hence.

MORE FIGHTING IS REPORTED NEAR HABANA

And Combined With Destruction of Property.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—At the state department it is said that no information has been received concerning the reported critical condition of affairs at Habana. As the navy department has no ships in Cuban waters, no information comes from that source. The intelligence from Cuba is of such an alarming character that some surprise is expressed, even by officials, that no word comes to the government as to the situation.

Minister de Lome has his patience sorely tried at the reports, which he regards as extravagant, and with the constant inquiries coming to him. The mention of the report that General Campos has resigned, or that Habana has fallen, is resented by him. He does not care to make denials, for he says these reports are such preposterous falsifications that he will not notice them.

It is learned that the chief purpose of the leaders of the Cuban revolutionary party in the United States in coming to Washington yesterday was to push vigorously the movement to secure recognition of the revolutionists by this government. They made to Secretary Olney a brief but forcible presentation of the claims of the insurgents to recognition. In addition, they presented to the secretary a great number of documents bearing on the origin, abuses, conditions and present status of the Cuban uprising, collected from official archives and unofficial sources.

Recently the house adopted a resolution, upon the recommendation of the committee on foreign affairs, calling upon the state department for all information in its possession concerning the revolution. President Palma and his associates at once began the compilation of evidence in justification of their cause, and are determined that congress shall not want for information. It is probable that the documents given to Secretary Olney or their substance will soon be transmitted to the house and referred to the foreign affairs committee.

There is a strong sentiment in the house, which has been advanced by the recent successes of the Cubans, that this government should do all in its power, consistent with international usages, to assist the patriots. Mr. Sulzer and several other members are endeavoring to assist the cause in congress.

President Palma predicts that the insurgents will capture Habana within three months, and that a Cuban republic will be established in six months if it has the recognition of the United States.

The Latest News From Habana

is to the effect that the sounds of cannon and musketry have been heard in the neighborhood of Guanajay, an important town of 4000 inhabitants in Pinar del Rio, 45 miles southward of Habana. It is supposed that an engagement is taking place there between the forces of General Suarez Valdez and the insurgents, but the numbers engaged or the course which the fortune of the fight is taking is not known.

The insurgents are burning and destroying up to within eight miles of Habana. The district around the village of Calabazar suffered yesterday. Calabazar is only two miles from Vento, where the apparatus is located upon which Habana depends for its water supply. In the Calabazar and Hoyo Colorado districts the cane has been burned in the fields of Maulin, Garro and Baracoa.

The insurgents commanded by Zayas were reported at different times Monday at Calmeto, Guayabal, Hoyo Colorado and Punta Brava, showing that he followed pretty closely the line between the provinces of Pinar del Rio and Habana up to the extreme northeastern portion of Pinar del Rio. This brought him into the region into which large numbers of troops have been sent to guard the western approach to Habana. It does not appear that the insurgents were in any great force, and no engagements are reported.

The fields of the Valdespindo estate have been burned, and the villages of Puerto La Guira and Marrero have also been put to the torch, after being plundered, according to the report received here.

The influx of refugees from the whole of the territory surrounding Habana continues, and apparently it is not possible to obtain sufficient means of transportation to accommodate the fleeing families and their household goods. The country seems to be entirely abandoned to the insurgent army, and no movement apparently prevails to check them.

The eastern portion of the island seems not to have been entirely stripped of an effective force of insurgents. A report from Santa Clara says that the troops encountered the insurgent band led by Pancho Carillo, and in the battle which ensued sustained a loss of 50.

Hope Child In Good Hands.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 8.—Judge Spink, in the municipal court, yesterday, gave Charles H. Thurber, agent of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, charge of little Goldie Hope, the child who was abducted from Boston nearly three years ago. Agent Thurber says that he will keep the child a while longer, and will probably turn her over to Mrs. Hope, after further investigation. He believes Mrs. Hope is entitled to the child, although he feels bound to make further inquiries regarding her history.

Hurd Will Plead Not Guilty.

BIDDEFORD, Me., Jan. 8. — Alfred J. Hurd, the patricide, is now confined in the county jail awaiting the report of the grand jury, which is now sitting. Hurd has said all along that he would plead guilty to the charge of murder, but he has changed his mind since receiving a letter from his mother, and will plead "Not guilty." He further says he will tell the truth. He has been sick for two days, and is confined to his bed in the cell.

Mystery of the Deep.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8. — The British tank steamer Wildflower, Captain Stonewell, which sailed from Philadelphia, Dec. 11, for Rouen, France, with 1,174,235 gallons of crude oil in bulk, valued at $59,653, and manned by a crew of 30 men, is believed to have blown up or foundered at sea, and all hands perished, no tidings having been received from the ship since she left the Delaware Breakwater that day.

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A Pole Taken to St. John's Hospital in Bad Condition.

There was a Polish row on Davidson street, yesterday afternoon which resulted in a serious injury to Andrew Lebdwicki.

His assailant, Adam Douglass was arrested.

Lebdwicki claims that he called at the house where Douglass was boarding to see a Pole who was visiting there, and was ordered out by Douglass. On refusing to go it is said Douglass struck him on the head with a stove lifter.

Douglass states that the blow was in self-defence and that Lebdwicki went at him with a knife.

The injured man was taken to St. John's hospital where his head was found to be badly bruised making trepanning necessary. He will probably recover.

A SCHOOL FOR FIREMEN.

Fire Chiefs of the Country Favor Brentano's Plan.

Simon Brentano's project for a school of fire extinguishment will be carried into effect during the year 1896. Mr. Brentano will have identified with him in the enterprise many of the most successful fire chiefs of the United States and other influential men who have made a study of his proposed system. Among them are Henry Hills, secretary of the National Association of Fire Engineers; Chiefs Bonner and Sweeney of the New York department, Chief Webber of Boston, Chief Foley of Milwaukee, George G. Patterson, head of the New York fire insurance patrol; Professor Barrett of Chicago and Edward Atkinson.

The aim of the proposed school of fire extinguishment is to elevate the work of firemen to the dignity of a profession and to reduce to scientific principles the prevention and extinguishment of fires.—Chicago Times-Herald.

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That Cuban crisis hangs fire.

Rev. Fr. Burke's determination to suppress all the speakeasies in his parish is commended as a pious work.

Emperor William of Germany will not admit England's claims to sovereignty over the Transvaal. Again the British lion is at bay.

The reason why everything went so smoothly in the common council yesterday afternoon was that Mr. Jacobs poured oil on the troubled waters.

Considering the policy of the present school board, the committee on books and supplies must have forgotten itself in voting to purchase a democrat wagon.

Rapid transit and lower taxes form the keynote of Mayor Quincy's inaugural address. Boston now realizes the wisdom of her choice in electing Quincy mayor.

Congressman Atwood has been convicted of malfeasance while in the employ of the city of Boston. Now his constituents are unanimously in favor of his resignation from his present office.

Notice the economic policy adopted by the school board in dropping Messrs. Molloy, Conway and Murphy. The citizens will watch to see whether that policy will be adhered to for the remainder of the year.

The republicans are contemplating a clean sweep of the democrats at city hall. The fruits of the gerrymander are now being reaped by the local republicans through the kindness of last year's legislature and Gov. Greenhalge.

The mayor's recommendation to relieve the board of aldermen of the trouble of granting minor licenses. If the board of police had the power, they would give it closer attention than the aldermen can be expected to pay it. The licensing board should grant all licenses.

Some of the stockholders of the Appleton company are kicking hard for dividends. While other concerns in the same business are paying liberal dividends the stockholders of the Appleton company naturally believe that if everything is going rightly they also should have regular dividends.

Ex-Councilman Delehanty is out of office but his title of traitor and cuckoo will follow him. He caused the democrats more trouble and disappointment last year than all the opposition of the republican party. He finally deserted his party entirely and voted only with the republicans. His memory will live in ignominy.

Mayor Courtney recommends the appointment of a committee to purchase the paintings in possession of the Middlesex Mechanics association, now consolidated with the Vesper club. The purchase money might be so high as to make the purchase however desirable an expensive step for a city council that is straining every nerve in search of economy.

THE POOR FARM CONTEST.

The clause of the redistricting act regulating the term of office of Superintendent Collins and others reads as follows:

"Sect. 7. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed; provided that no act heretofore repealed shall thereby be revived, and provided also that all persons who at the time said repeal takes effect shall hold office under any of said acts, shall continue to hold the same according to the tenure thereof, excepting, however, that the terms of office of all members of the school committee and of the board of overseers of the poor shall expire on the first Monday of January next."

The tenure of Mr. Collins office ended December 21, 1895 but as he was elected for another year it is a question for the lawyers whether he is entitled to remain in office for that period or give way to Col. Pindar who has been chosen to succeed him.

LUCK SMILES ON HIM

THE SUDDEN GOOD FORTUNE OF EX-GOVERNOR CAMPBELL.

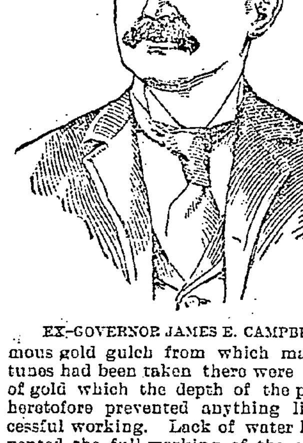
A Mining Venture In California Likely to Make Him a Millionaire and a Strong Presidential Candidate—Story of the Gold Discovery.

James E. Campbell, former governor of Ohio, is likely soon to have his name written in financial annals as a favorite of fortune. If reports be true—and the facts as thus far developed tend to prove their veracity—the ex-governor, as the happy result of a little mining speculation in the Golden State, will speedily become wealthy beyond the dreams of avarice.

Incidentally this sudden acquisition of riches will have a bearing on the Democratic politics of the state and of the country. It is known that Mr. Campbell a few months since reluctantly entered the gubernatorial campaign in Ohio owing to the wretched condition of his finances, and that had it not been for the promised backing of party friends he would have declined the nomination. The same old argument of impecuniosity is now urged against him as a presidential aspirant, but when the pleasant fact becomes generally known that he has suddenly developed into a full fledged millionaire his hosts of friends throughout the west will assuredly press him forward for the highest honor in the gift of the Democratic party.

Mr. Campbell was in Columbus recently, and, singularly enough, registered at the Chittenden on the page opposite the one on which Governor Elect Bushnell had signed his name. Mr. Campbell, however, found business and other matters extremely pressing and was decidedly reluctant to throw any light on his alleged sudden and welcome acquisition of the coin of vantage, but the information, as it comes from Captain Frank Barrett, formerly of Lancaster, and now located in the San Joaquin valley, California, is extremely interesting.

Some years ago Captain Barrett, whose restless, speculative spirit has made and lost several fortunes for him, concluded to leave Ohio and seek new fields in the far west. He purchased a cattle ranch midway between San Francisco and Los Angeles and settled there. While there he heard the legend that has been handed down from the Indians for half a century to the effect that at a point in the San Joaquin river, near his ranch, there was a vast deposit of gold. The story was that in a great pool formed by a natural dam in the San Joaquin at the foot of the fa-



EX-GOVERNOR JAMES E. CAMPBELL.

mous gold gulch from which many fortunes had been taken there were deposits of gold which the depth of the pool had heretofore prevented anything like successful working. Lack of water had prevented the full working of the gulch itself, for the deposits required placer mining, and it was only when the spring freshets flushed the valley that the evidences of the gold that had for years been swept toward the gulch were obtainable.

Captain Barrett determined to work that pool, and he returned to Ohio and organized a mining company, with quite large capital, and with Governor Campbell, Allen G. Thurman and other Ohio friends as stockholders. Governor Campbell took one-eighth of the stock. Barrett's plan was to build another dam at the head of the pool, change the course of the stream, then drain the first dam and secure its rich deposits.

Professional divers were first secured to prospect the pool. The result surpassed the prospectors' wildest hopes. Gold was brought up to the value of $10 a pan. Then the work of constructing the dam was begun. It was a long and tedious undertaking, and it was only through the summer drought that progress could be made. The work has just been completed, and Captain Barrett came to report to the directors. The drainage of the pool has just begun, but it already promises to make fortunes for all the stockholders.

When questioned about the report, Governor Campbell was greatly surprised to know that the news had leaked out. He was not inclined to talk much about it either.

"I am here," he said, "in consultation with Captain Barrett and some friends about oil speculations in California more particularly than about our gold mine. All I can say as to the latter is that it promises well. I had no idea any one knew anything about it. We are not trying to sell stock. I own an eighth interest, but there is no stock for sale. Whatever there may be out there is a legitimate investment and not a stock jobbery affair. It is going to prove all it promises."

It is the belief that this stroke of fortune which has come to the ex-governor will put him on his feet again financially in a way that will make him a prominent factor in Democratic national politics in 1896.—Chicago Times-Herald.

The Latest Woman's Edition.

A "woman's edition" of a Honolulu newspaper is the latest of many convincing proofs that the Hawaiian Islands are worthy of rank among the highly civilized quarters of the globe. This edition was issued on the 18th of this month, and copies of it are awaited on these shores with eager interest. It should, to be complete, contain an article by Mrs. Lydia Dominis, formerly Liliuokalani, on "How I Missed Restoration," or "My Recollections of a Life of Not Altogether Voluntary Retirement."—Washington Star.

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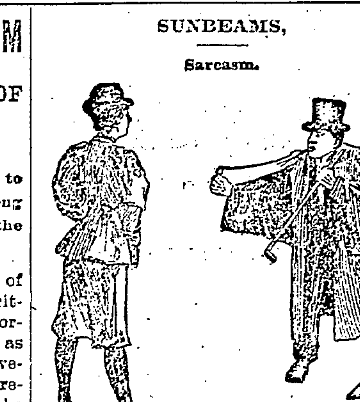
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"I don't understand."

"Let me tell you." And he dropped his voice to a whisper. "You have been with me for 20 years, working 300 days every year and averaging three loads a day. That makes 18,000 loads. You weigh 150 pounds, John, and we have never failed to weigh you with every load. That makes 2,700,000 pounds, or 1,200 tons. This, at an average of £1 per ton, John, represents £1,200. The package you hold in your hand contains £120, or 10 per cent, which we think is yours by right. We are honest men, John, and don't desire to defraud anybody out of what is justly his."

John bowed in humble submission and is now waiting for the next dividend.—London Tit-Bits.

Appealing to the Wrong Man.

Lawyer (closing an impassioned plea)—And now, your honor, I ask you to impose a heavy fine upon this man, who, with the recklessness common to bicyclists, ran down my client and inflicted serious injuries upon him. I ask you to protect the ordinary pedestrian from the reckless bicyclist. Why should a man feel that he owns the universe as soon as he gets upon a wheel? I have no doubt that your honor will impose the full penalty permitted by the law in this case as a moral lesson to bicycle riders and in assertion of the rights of the ordinary citizen.

Judge—The prisoner is fined $1, without costs. (Sotto voce to the clerk) I ride a bicycle myself.—Somerville Journal.

A Relief.

"I don't know but I'm glad that the holidays are about over," said the man who permits himself to be worried over small things.

"Don't you enjoy them?"

"Yes. But it's a great relief to sit back and serenely reflect that it'll be a whole year now before somebody will turn up and think it is smart to write Christmas 'Xmas.'"—Washington Star.

Done According to System.

"Miss Beverly, why does your history club meet twice a week?"

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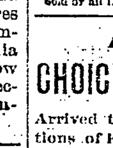
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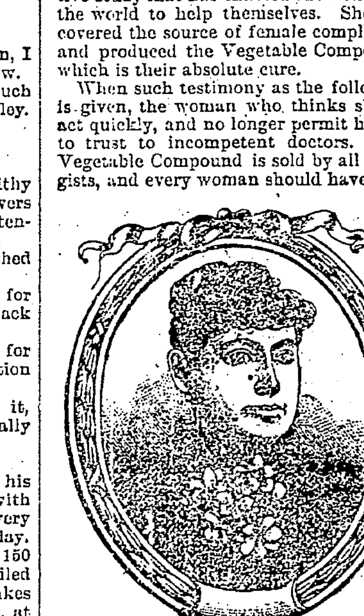
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A Man of Iron Nerve and Will—How He Won Over King Lobengula—A Medical Man of Great Skill—A Born Leader of Men.

The recent invasion of the Transvaal by Dr. Jameson, administrator of the British South Africa company and the man who wrestled Matabeleland from the natives, was no great surprise to his friends. Nothing that Dr. Jameson would attempt in the way of daring adventure or accomplish through his impetuous but thoughtful audacity would astonish those who have closely followed his career.

Of all the men who have gained fame in Africa none is more picturesque than Dr. Jim.

In the first place it seems remarkable that he should have gone to South Africa at all. He was born and bred in Scotland, of an ancient Scottish family. His father was a writer for the signet. But those who knew Dr. Jameson in his youth tell



DR. C. S. JAMESON.

strange stories of his dash, cleverness and adventures. He was educated as a physician. He had had an admittedly distinguished medical career and had taken honors in arts when he sailed away to South Africa, settling in Kimberley. He speedily gained a large practice and a commensurate income. He was the leader in his profession. His fame as a medical man alone is very great.

That wonderful uncrowned king of South Africa, Cecil Rhodes, saw the stuff of which Dr. Jameson was made and offered him the opportunity of playing a part in the opening of a new country. He embraced it gladly.

The fat, luxurious and cunning Lobengula, king of the Matabele nation, bitterly opposed granting the concession to the Chartered company, and its budding operations were in danger of destruction. The first emissary sent to him (Thompson) saw Lobengula kill an induna for advising the concession. The emissary was glad to escape with his life.

Dr. Jameson, alone and unarmed, then started for Lobengula's court. Few dared hope that he would return. None dared dream that he could succeed. The attempt showed the mettle of the man? He boldly sought the craftiest of South African kings, who ruled 100,000 Zulu warriors.

The fame of Dr. Jameson's medical skill stood him in good stead in his journey to the king, but menaced him with additional danger after he arrived there, for the king was suffering from a malady which his medicine men could not check and which threatened to kill him at any moment. If Dr. Jameson failed to cure, he knew he would be killed. But science conquered, and Lobengula granted the concession and the permission for the pioneer force to pass through Mashonaland.

Dr. Jameson next explored and established a new route to the ocean, difficult enough, and which gained him supreme command of the South Africa company, but not to be compared with that journey to the great Chief Gunguayana through the worst country in South Africa. It was a two months' journey, practically on foot, through a marshy country, with compass alone to guide. At the start all provisions were lost. Jameson pushed on. He and his small band lived on fruits. It rained for 11 days. Fourteen days were passed in the gloom of a dense African jungle. During the whole journey the only "game" that was seen was a skunk. The three white men were stricken with fever, yet they pushed on and accomplished the mission.

Since that time the doctor has controlled Mashonaland, and he has risen superior to every crisis. He had much trouble with King Lobengula. He warred against the savage soldiers in 1893 with remarkable success. The natives attacked the Mashonas. Dr. Jameson gave warning. He was told that Lobengula could not control his young men.

"Take back those whom you can control, and I will deal with the others," was Dr. Jameson's message.

He ordered an invasion of Matabeleland, and it resulted in the downfall of the great king.

The Boers are wonderful fighters. In the last war with England, about 15 years ago, their marksmanship was the talk of the world. A party of Boers scaled Maguba hill, occupied by Sir George Colley and 400 men. They drove off the British in a panic, killing Sir George, 6 other officers and 90 men, wounding and capturing many others. The Boer loss was 1 killed and 5 wounded. On another occasion 63 Boers killed 258 British soldiers, with a loss to themselves of only 5 or 6.—New York World.

A Chinese Junk For New York.

A Chinese junk which has seen war service has been purchased by a well known Brooklynite and will be kept in the New York bay for use as a naval museum. It is of the type in use for the past 2,000 years and is built of teak wood. It is about 100 feet in length, 34 feet beam amidships, 13 feet 6 inches high above water; amidships it is 9 feet and aft it is 20 feet. Three masts of Chinese fir 90 feet high are in the boat. She is expected in April, with a crew of 20 Chinese sailors.

Trying to Establish Slavery.

The Chilean Western Courier states that the governor of the territory of Magallanes is brutally exterminating the Indians, some of whom he is distributing among his friends as slaves.

The senators are about to lay the matter officially before the government.—New York World.

Venus and Mars.

Going into war is a good deal like kissing a woman—it doesn't pay to be in too big a hurry.—Sparta Herald Advertiser.

His Principal Charm.

Needleson—Yes, we think a great deal of that parrot. I wouldn't take $100 for him.

Pinns—He isn't very handsome, but I suppose he's an excellent talker.

"No, he is not much given to talking."

"Won't talk?"

"Can't."—Chicago Tribune.

THE ATLANTA EXPOSITION.

Mr. Inman Says the Receipts Will Approximate $1,250,000.

When the Atlanta exposition gates closed on Dec. 31, the turnstiles indicated that since the opening day 1,286,863 persons had been admitted to the grounds. Of this number there were 817,028 paid admissions, including adults and children. The total figures include the admissions at the pass gates, paid admission gates and the wagon gates, through which the soldiers' invited guests have passed.

The following is a detailed statement of the attendance: Adults, paid admissions, 738,115; children, paid admissions, 79,813; passes, 434,935; wagon gates, 35,000. According to the best reports obtained, the exposition company had realized from the paid admissions $864,072.95. The percentage received through the concession department is figured at $115,654.32, and this, added to the gate receipts, makes the total receipts from these sources since the exposition opened $479,727.27, but there are other sources to hear from. According to the statement of Mr. S. M. Inman, who handled the financial department of the exposition for some time, the total receipts of the Exposition company will approximate $1,250,000, while the expenditures were not above these figures.

ROMANTIC REUNION.

A Deserted Wife In Baltimore True to the Man Who Left Her.

A romantic story comes from the town of Jerez, Mexico. Ten years ago a young American named Edward Roberts quarreled with his wife in Baltimore and left for South America.

After spending a few years in the mining camps of Colombia he went to Mexico and engaged in mining, with fairly profitable results. Two years ago he secured the position of superintendent of a paying mine near Jerez and has accumulated a comfortable fortune.

Recently it occurred to him to try to effect a reconciliation with his wife, from whom he had heard nothing since leaving her. He wrote a fond letter to her and invited her to join him in his Mexican home. The money was inclosed for her fare and expense of the journey and was duly received.

The joy the letter brought to the waiting woman's heart cannot be told, but she showed her devotion to her husband by leaving immediately for Mexico. She arrived a few days ago and took the first stage for Jerez.

The meeting between husband and wife was a joyous one, and they are now enjoying the mutual companionship that had been severed for ten years. Mr. Roberts is now greatly Mexicanized and is known as Eduardo Roberto.

TRUE TO HIS LOVE.

Did Not Marry Until He Found the Original of a Portrait.

A remarkable story is connected with the marriage of Mrs. A. H. Acken of St. Augustine, Fla., and W. D. M. Sorrell of Golden, Colo. The bridegroom is aged 78 and the bride 74.

Fifty years ago Sorrell saw a portrait of the lady and vowed he would never marry until he found the original. Years passed without Sorrell discovering his ladylove, but he never married. Three years ago Sorrell, who had acquired wealth at Golden, learned that the original of the photograph was Mrs. Acken, and that she was living at St. Augustine. Sorrell went there, but found the lady had a husband. Disconsolate, he returned home.

Two years ago Mrs. Acken's husband mysteriously disappeared and has never been heard of since. Sorrell returned and induced Mrs. Acken to get a divorce on the ground of desertion. Her wedding dress was a facsimile of the one she wore when sitting for the photograph that charmed Sorrell.—New York Recorder.

NEW CAP FOR THE SOLDIERS.

At West Point It Is Regarded as Unsightly and Uncomfortable.

A new cap is worn by the soldiers in the United States army. It was adopted by the army board about a year ago.

The cap is about 3½ inches high and has a flat crown and sloping visor about 3 inches wide. There is no braid or fancy work upon it, the only distinguishing marks being the corps device and a black leather strap about half an inch wide just above the visor. It follows the same pattern as the headgear of naval officers. It has been called the Copenhagen cap.

The only difference between the caps worn by the officers and men is that a black braid band about an inch wide and a gold cord are above the visor of the officers' caps and a gold eagle on the front with 13 gold stars.

At West Point the soldiers consider the cap awkward, unsightly and uncomfortable.—New York World.

Will Be a Good Orange Season.

California orange growers believe that this coming season is going to be an unusually prosperous one for them. The crop is not only in fine condition, but it is very much earlier than usual. The navel oranges, grown in northern California, were on the San Francisco market as early as the second week in November, and the southern California crop will be remarkably early. The growers figure that there will be no competition with California oranges in the east this year. The failure of the Florida crop will give them practically a clear field, they say. The California crop is from one-third to almost one-half as large again as it was last year, and if the expectations of high prices are realized an orange grove will be a bonanza this year. —New York Sun.

Rewards of Peace Loving.

The unparalleled prosperity of the United States has been due to the fact that we are a nation of peace lovers and peacemakers. During the last 79 years 79 great national controversies have been settled by arbitration, more than 40 of them by the United States.—Outlook.

Edison Proposed For Secretary of the Navy.

Thomas A. Edison, the proposed new secretary of the navy, would not be such a good sailor as Mr. Herbert, but he would be a better electrician.—Washington Capital.

To Atlanta's Midway.

It's over, it's over, it's over,
A dream in a vanishing sky—
A sunbeam on meadows of clover;
Goodby to the midway—goodby!

It's over, it's over, it's over;
How sad that's its glories should die!
It stays not for grace or for Grover;
Goodby to the midway—goodby!

It's over, it's over, it's over,
A memory sweet, with a sigh;
Goodby to thee, beautiful Grover!
Goodby to the midway—goodby!
—Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

Freeman
Photographer, Hildreth Building.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Eastern freight rates are to be advanced.

Montreal is to have a $6,000,000 bridge.

The price of bessemer ore is to be increased.

Philip Reclam, the publisher, died at Leipsic.

Consolidation of art societies in New York under way.

The New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio railroad is to be sold.

A scientist has discovered a light which will penetrate wood or flesh.

Incoming vessels at Boston are coated with ice for 20 feet above the water.

Dean B. Mason, vice consul general of the United States at Vienna, is dead.

Anti-Platt Republicans of New York city have decided not to bolt at present.

Italy's hold over Abyssinia is regarded in St. Petersburg as extremely tenuous.

Secretary of State and Mrs Olney gave a dinner to the president and the cabinet.

F. M. Forbes, class of '96, of Paris, was chosen captain of the Harvard senior crew.

The New York police commissioners are not alarmed at the alleged increase of crime.

English capitalists are said to consider the report of the Nicaragua commission unfair and absurd.

Rev. Harold Pattison of Rochester has accepted a call to become pastor of the First Baptist church at Hartford.

Zimmerman & Forshay have deposited $500,000 in gold with the New York subtreasury in exchange for greenbacks.

A private dinner to Governor Coffin of Connecticut and members of his staff was given at New York by Henry H. Adams.

John Evans & Son, Providence, manufacturers of steam heaters, assigned. The amount of assets and liabilities are unknown.

In response to the call of Captain Brower for tract athletes to train for the Mott Haven games, 151 candidates presented themselves.

A freight train plunged through an open draw on the bridge spanning the Rigolets, near New Orleans. Three white tramps were killed.

There is a movement afoot among temperance people to find indictments against every liquor dealer doing business in Manchester, N. H.

At Columbus, O., Judge Pugh charged the grand jury concerning alleged bribery of a member of the last legislature. The name is not known.

Padan Bros. & Co., Portsmouth, O., manufacturers of ladies' shoes, one of the largest houses in the west, assigned. Assets, $180,000; liabilities, $150,000.

Charles C. Bassett, known to the sporting fraternity all over the country and a prominent figure in the frontier days of Kansas, died at Hot Springs, Ark.

The annual meeting of the Maine Sportsmen's Fish and Game association was held in Bangor. Measures were adopted for the further protection of game in Maine.

Tilton H. Doolittle, since 1879 state attorney for New Haven county, Conn., tendered his resignation. Judge Wheeler, in accepting the resignation, praised Mr. Doolittle's services.

John V. Barker, aged 89, father of Judge James M. Barker of the Massachusetts supreme court, died at Pittsfield, Mass. Mr. Barker was a member of the legislature in 1848, 1862 and 1867.

The Dr. S. F. Smith memorial committee have decided to make efforts to have the Smith homestead preserved intact. The rooms will be left as they were at the time of the author's death.

Fire at Bristol, Vt., destroyed the Commercial House, barn with nine horses, one cow, three hogs, wagon, carriages and other contents, and the house and blacksmith shop of F. Greenough.

The weavers at Olneyville, R. I., have appointed a committee to prepare a bill of particulars in regard to the fine system prevailing in the mills there. The bill will be presented to the legislature.

In behalf of the Armenian relief fund, Boston theater was filled at a matinee. The performance included numbers by theatrical people and companies who are playing at the several theaters here.

The Vermont Dairymen's association opened its session in Rutland, Vt. The annual address was delivered by President Sanford, and a musical and literary program was carried out by the ladies' auxiliary.

The third annual convention of the Massachusetts State Association of Spiritualists was held at Boston. The sessions were devoted mainly to the presentation of reports and the reading of the annual address.

The internal revenue collections for the district comprising Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont show an increase of $4000 in December over the same month in 1894. The receipts were $33,794, and the total for the year $504,749.

Boxing Licenses Raise a Rumpus.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—Soldoin has any action of the board of aldermen brought about so much hostile criticism as is prevalent over the granting of nine boxing licenses. Particularly is this the case for the exhibition scheduled for Feb. 22, which was stated to be for the benefit of Carney hospital. The members of the hospital executive committee were closeted yesterday with Mayor Quincy, and protested in a vigorous manner. The mayor explained that he was powerless in the matter, and that it lay solely with the board of aldermen, who granted the licenses. An effort will be made to introduce legislation that will placing the granting of such licenses in the hands of the board of police commissioners.

The Boy's View of It.

Mother—she's always a-sayin, she is,
Boys must be looked after—got to be strict.
When I tear my breeches like Billy tears his,
It helps 'em considerable when I am licked!
But it ain't leapin over the fence or the post—
It's jest that same lickin 'at tears 'em the most!

Mother—she's always a-sayin to me
Boys must have people to foller 'em roun,
Never kin tell where they're goin'to be,
Sure to git lost an then have to be found,
An then, when they find 'em, they're so full of joy
They can't keep from lovin an lickin the boy!

There's Jimmy Johnson—got lost on the road;
Daddy wuz drivin to market one day,
Fell out the wagon, an nobody knowed
Till they come to a halt an his daddy said:
"Hey!
Wonder where Jimmy has gone to?" But Jim—
Waren't no two hosses could keep up with him!

Jest kep a-goin an got to a place
Where wuz a circus, took up with the clown,
Cut off his ringlets, an painted his face,
An then come right back to his daddy's own town!
An what do you reckon? His folks didn't know
An paid to see Jimmy that night in the show!

An there's Billy Jenkins—he jest run away
(Folks at his house wuzn't treatin him right)
Went to the place where the red Injuns stay,
An once, when his daddy wuz travelin at night
An the Injuns took after him, hollerin loud,
Bill run to his rescue an scalped the whole crowd!

No use in talkin—boys don't have no show!
Wuzn't fer people a-follerin 'em roun
Jest ain't no tellin how fast they would grow.
Bet you they'd fool everybody in town!
But mother—she says they need lickin an so
They're too busy hollerin to git up an grow!

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION

Of Yesterday.

TROUBLE AHEAD

Emperor William Gives England Another Rap.

WILL NOT RECOGNIZE HER CLAIMS TO TRANSVAAL.

Boers Explain Their Rupture With Foreigners.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—In a special audience with Dr. W. J. Leyds, secretary of state of the Transvaal Emperor William, declared that he would not recognize any sovereignty over that country. Great Britain by a treaty of 1884 claims it.

Specials to London.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Special despatches to the government from Johannesburg and Cape Town which have been delayed, are gradually coming in and they explain the cause of the trouble which grew out of the complaints of the Utelanders or foreign residents against the treatment of the Boers. They claim that they contribute nearly all the revenue but are not allowed any voice in the government. The Boers claim that the foreigners, who are all English, so greatly outnumber the natives that should they get a hand in the government they would make it a colony of Great Britain.

HOT FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Fire at Bristol, Vt., last night, caused a loss of $10,000.

The schooner Billow from Rutland, Me., to Virginia, with a cargo of lime, went ashore on Duck Island and burned to the water's edge.

The new battleship Indianna sailed on her maiden voyage this morning.

The Rannalie block at Lewiston, which contains offices, stores and a parochial school was burned today. Loss $10,000.

J. J. Callahan, the Fitchburg pitcher has signed with Kansas.

The proposed inter-collegiate eight-oared race between Penn, Harvard, Yale, Cornell and Columbia, still hangs fire. It is not thought Yale will come in.

Missing From His Home.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Dec. 7.—William Dooley, a well known young man, has been missing from his home since Saturday and his friends fear foul play.

Two Big Prairie Fires.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WICHITA, Kan., Jan. 7.—Two large prairie fires are raging in Stafford and Kiowa counties, 150 miles apart.

Clean Sweep in Lawrence.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

As in Lowell, the Lawrence city council is making a clean sweep. The democrats who voted for Junkins are unable to stem the tide. The following republicans have been chosen:

City clerk, William T. Kimball.
City treasurer, Walter R. Rowe.
Supt. of streets, John. O. Butterhill.
Assessor, Rufus Andrews:
City marshal, David Bailey; assistants, Joseph Kline and M. J. Murphy.

There was a big shake up in the police department. Retiring Marshal Sheehan was assigned to a night beat, as also were the retiring liquor inspectors, Carey and McCarthy.

Kindergarten Closed.

Owing to the extremely cold weather of the past few days, it has been found necessary to close the Colburn street kindergarten school.

It is impossible to heat the rooms above 60 degrees with the present heating apparatus.

The school board pays a rental of $50 per month for the house in which the school is located and it is thought this is too much.

If the school board could find a suitable place near the present school, a change would be made.

Talbot Library Association.

Talbot Library association of N. Billerica held its annual meeting in the library and elected the following officers: Pres. Thos. Talbot; vice pres., J. D. Guild; treas., W. H. Clark; sec., A. Bottomley. Members added to board of directors: J. F. Harrigan, L. W. Buckley, F. S. Clark.

The library was organized Dec. 9, 1880, and is growing in popularity.

Both Branches to Meet.

Both branches of the city council will meet tonight and an attempt will be made to have George L. Fowler elected superintendent of streets by the aldermen.

Injured in the Mill.

Philip Landry, an employe of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, received a scalp wound while at his work today. He was taken to his home on Cheever street.

Killed Two Dogs.

One day last week a motor car killed two dogs on the Billerica line because the fender did not work.

Hickey Received a Scalp Wound.

James Hickey tumbled down stairs at his home in Adams street last night. The ambulance was called and Dr. Ricker discovered that Hickey was suffering from a bad scalp wound. He was taken up to St. John's hospital.

A Pink Tea.

The Sunday school teachers of St. Patrick's church will hold a pink tea in Huntington hall tomorrow evening. It will be a most enjoyable affair and should be largely attended. The proceeds will be devoted to furnishing the Sunday school library.

Pawtucketville Church.

The annual meeting of the Pawtucketville church was held last evening and these officers were elected: Treasurer, Dr. J. J. Colton; supt. of Sunday school, Charles F. Mills; assistant, Albert Q. Warren; secretary, James Connell; treasurer, Grace Blake; librarian, Leonard Ryan; supt. of primary department, Emma Dorman; secretary and librarian, Flossie Milner; assistants, Bertha Wilson, Jason Connell; examining committee, Mrs. Leland, A. J. Howe; visiting committee, Mrs. A. J. Howe, Mrs. Joseph Wilson, Mrs. J. P. Fowler, Mrs. Ryan, Mrs. Tabor, Mrs. George W. Coburn.

ANTI-TRUST LAW.

Important Resolution Passed by the National House.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7—The house committee today agreed upon a resolution asking the Attorney General for information as to why steps had not been taken to enforce the anti-trust law. The house adopted the resolution. In the house this morning, Clarence E. Allen was sworn in as a member from Utah.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

SMITH—The funeral of the late Margaret Smith was held this morning from Molloy's undertaking rooms. Services were held at St. Patrick's church, Rev. Fr. Glenson officiating. The bearers Owen Riley, Thomas Tully, John and Michael Farrell. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

GAGAN—The funeral of Hannah Gagan took place yesterday from her late home on Greenwood street and was largely attended. The remains were taken to the Sacred Heart church, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I. The pall bearers were Messrs. James F. Kelty, John Campbell, Patrick Kerwin, Patrick Keenan, Edward Jennings and Joseph Jennings. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

DOLAN—The funeral of the late Esther Dolan took place this morning from her home on West Third street and attended by relatives and friends.

A high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Wm. O'Brien, who also read the burial service at the grave.

The choir of the church rendered appropriate music. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

The bearers were John P. Boyers, Martin Doherty, Timothy McNamara and John Welch.

DEATHS.

MARREN—John J. Marren died yesterday at St. John's hospital, aged 32 years. Mr. Marren, who has been employed in the Lowell Machine shop for many years, was well known in Lowell. He was a prominent member of the A. O. H. His parents, a brother and two sisters survive him.

O'HARE—Mrs. Rose O'Hare, widow of the late Thomas O'Hare, died this morning at her home, 134 Gorham street. She was the mother of Councilman John O'Hare and Inspector Frank O'Hare of the board of health.

When you want any decoration done or a design made to suit at a reasonable price call on Jim at 6 Prescott street. Greenhouses at Brookside. Telephone connection.

LOCAL NOTES.

The semi-centennial of the High street church will be observed on Jan. 22 when an elaborate program of exercises will be presented.

Miss Margaret Johnson of North Andover is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Agnes Shields of Stanley street.

A spark set fire to the shingles of a house near Middlesex and Branch streets, yesterday. At 2.15 the telephone alarm came. The damage was trifling.

The St. Anne's choir under the leadership of N. W. Mansfield went to Boston last evening to participate in the services held in St. Paul's Episcopal church. It was the annual convention of the Episcopal churches in the vicinity of Boston.

City Council Banqueted.

After the adjournment of the various boards the mayor and city council repaired to the Merrimack house to accept the hospitality of Capt. Partridge, yesterday.

The dinner was an excellent one and was leisurely discussed. The host was tendered a vote of thanks at its close.

Boston and Maine Railroad

Winter Arrangement.

WESTERN DIVISION.

Corrected to October 20, 1895.

TRAINS LEAVE MIDDLESEX STREET DEPOT, LOWELL.

For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05 12.45, 2.30, 3 20, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 2.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Sacco and Portland, 6.50, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 8.30 a. m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones of Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.10 p. m.

Southern Division.

On and After Oct. 20, 1895, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:

For Boston, 5 45, 6 30, *6 50, *7 45, *8 30, *9 02, *9 40, 11 00 a. m.; 1 40, *3.00, 4.30, *5 33 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8 45 a. m.

Trains Leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5 48, 6 24, *6 53, §7 01, §7 18, §*7 27, *7 48, *8 57, 9 03, *9 50 11 03, 11 43 a.m.; 12 16, 1 43, §3 03, *4 00, 4 33, 5 20, *5 36, 6 24, 7 52 p. m. SUNDAYS, §*7 18, §*7 27, 8 45, *9 16 a. m; §4 25, §5 58 p. m.

For Woburn, 6 20, §7 01, 7 45, 11 00 a.m.; 1 40, 4 20 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8 45 a. m., §4 25, §5 58 p.m.

*Express. §Northern Depot Only. †Via Bedford.

For Lawrence, 6.30, 10.00 a. m; 4.15, 5.50 p. m

For Salem, and Way Stations, §7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 3.50 p. m.

☞Time given below is from Middlesex street station.

For Ayer Junction, and Way Stations, 7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.00 and 5.47 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p.m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.14 a. m.; 1.00, 5.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene, 9.14 a. m. and 5.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40 9.14 9.45 a.m; 12.11, 1.00, 1.42, 3.43, 5.42, 6.20, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only) 3 a.m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.14, 9.45 a. m; 12.11, (1.42 to Franklin and Bristol only), 5.42, 8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40 a. m; 1.42 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m; 1.42, 8.43 p. m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, 8.13 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.45 a. m.; 8.43 p. m.

Quebec Express, via White River Junction, 12.11, 8.13, p. m., daily except Sunday.

†Daily for Montreal.

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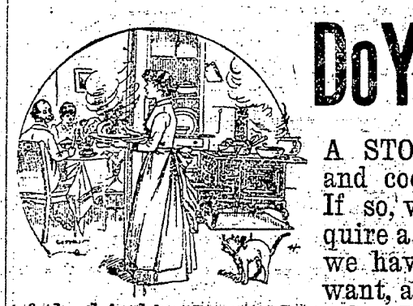
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We shall have an important announcement to make in the near future, but in the meantime, if any persons want bargains, they should attend to the matter at once.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR WEDNESDAY, JAN. 8.

SUN RISES	7 15	MOON RISES	12 54 AM
SUN SETS	4 29	FULL SEA	5 15 AM
LENGTH OF DAY	9 16		5 45 PM

Forecast for Maine: Fair, except light snows on the coast; warmer; winds becoming northeasterly.

For Vermont and New Hampshire: Fair in northern, light snow in southern portions; warmer; northeasterly winds.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Snow; warmer; northeast ariy winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

When in doubt, smoke Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

Artists materials of all descriptions at Coburn's, Market street.

The Lowell Wall Paper Co.; all styles; all prices, 18 Church street.

Mt. Zion lodge, I. O. G. T., entertained visitors from Nashua last night.

For Lacawana coal go to Rourke & Sullivan', 984 Gorham street.

February is quarter month at Washington Savings bank—Interest 4 per cent.

The quarterly meeting of the Middlesex Unitarian Ministers' association was held yesterday at the home of Rev. Mr. Prince in Chelmsford Center.

An illustrated lecture on the subject: "Picturesque Italy," will be given in the Immaculate Conception school hall, Sunday evening, Jan. 12, 1896, by Miss Anna Seaton Schmidt of Washington, D. C. Doors open after vespers.

The Elks held a social session last evening with an oyster chowder as a feature. An extensive and highly enjoyable musical program followed. Messrs. Martin, Vincellette, Prof. Michel and Paine's colored quartet participating.

There'll be trotting on the river Sunday if it is possible to get sleighs up there according to "Doc" Evans, the ice king." He is arranging for a track which will be completed Sunday with the help of a little snow. "Doc" has built a fine track on Lake Massabesic near Manchester, N. H., and the people up there are having great fun.

Woman's Club.

At the Woman's Educational club, yesterday afternoon, the subject discussed was, "Theosophy." An able paper on the subject was read by Mrs. Scales and was followed by an interesting talk by Miss Guild.

The Whittier Mill Opened.

Mrs. Helen A. Whittier of this city on Monday pressed the electric button which started the machinery in the new Whittier cotton mill on the Chattahootchee river, six miles from Atlanta. The construction of the mill began last spring. It cost $200,000, has 1000 spindles and employs nearly 400 operatives.

Notre Dame Reading Circle.

At the last meeting of the Notre Dame Reading circle which was held Sunday in the convent library, the works of John Boyle O'Reilly were discussed. Two highly entertaining papers were read by Misses Mary J. Callahan and Nellie Lynch.

Miss Ella O'Hearn rendered O'Reilly's "Jacquemmots" set to music very sweetly and for an encore rendered another of the poet's beautiful creations.

COLD WAVE GONE

And a Light Snow Storm Spoils the Skating.

The weather bureau struck it right yesterday in predicting a rise in the temperature, and slight snow for last night, as the mercury went up to a bearable degree and the snow fell. The latter didn't amount to much. The Lowell & Suburban railroad ran out three plows, but they were hardly needed, as the scrapers did the work. There was but little delay on the Nashua, Billerica, Chelmsford and North Chelmsford lines, and the cars from Lawrence and Lynn were practically on time.

It had one bad feature, however, for it spoiled the skating for a time at least.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

The following clipping tells of the origin of the title "Father of his country" by which George Washington is known:

"It appears says the Republic, that it was a Catholic clergyman who first called George Washington by that title which has since been so universally bestowed upon him whenever his illustrious name is mentioned. The first observance of Washington's birthday was held in St. Mary's church, Philadelphia, on Feb. 22, 1800, and on that occasion a eulogy was pronounced by Rev. Matthew Carr, O. S. A., who called the first President "the father of his country." In reporting the eulogy the Pennsylvania Gazette of the following week said that "Fr. Carr has given Gen. George Washington a name which will live forever," and its prediction has certainly been well verified up to the present time."

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

The attraction for this afternoon and tonight at this popular amusement house will be "Down on the Farm," presented by a capable company of people with their own scenery and mechanical effects. The production is similar to Denman Thompson's "Old Homestead," and numerous specialties are introduced, including singing by the Empire City Quartet.

A large audience witnessed the play last night and applauded loudly.

NEWHALL IS ALIVE.

Alderman Tryder Wants to See Him And Put Him to Work.

Alderman Tryder has received a postal card from Newhall, the man who was supposed to have committed suicide stating that he is still in the flesh. The card reads:

"Please permit me to state the fact that your supposition is erroneous, as regards the fate of your unfortunate visitor that Thursday evening, inasmuch as I am yet in this world of woes and strifes (a most beautiful world, but very horrid people generally). Thanks to you and your wife for your sympathy."

This is signed John E. Newhall.

Mr. Tryder wants to see the man now that he can give him a job on the street department in place of some of the men who are to get the bounce.

Skates, Skates.

Long reach skates 25 cents a pair. Barney and Berry skates with a pound of tea, all our skates at away down prices. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

Bowling, Billards, Pool.

Tournaments and prizes at Les Miserables, East Merrimack street.

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LAID DOWN ARMS

The Reformers Submitted to Governor Robinson.

IN THE TRANSVAAL CAUSING MORE EXCITEMENT.

Flying Squadron Being Prepared For Action.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Governor Robinson has telegraphed to the colonial office, under date of Pretoria, Jan. 7, as follows: "The reform committee have resolved to relinquish their arms and to comply with the demands of the Transvaal government. The Johannesburgers have placed themselves unreservedly in my hands, confident that I will see justice done."



HERCULES ROBINSON.

After consulting the Transvaal government, Sir Hercules Robinson informed the Rand people that they would be allowed 24 hours from noon to relinquish their arms unconditionally.

A dispatch from Johannesburg, dated Jan. 1, and others dated since that time, show that the citizens were well armed and organized, under the leadership of Colonel Frank Rhodes and Mr. Farrar to secure the redress of grievances without intending an offensive movement, but only desiring to show the government that they were ready to fight if compelled to do so. All the Transvaal police were withdrawn from the town and concentrated at the jail, while a force of 500 Boers commanded the jail from a ridge.

Meantime the reform committee pledged themselves to abstain from violence and not to aid Dr. Jameson, provided he should be allowed to enter the town unmolested, and they guaranteed that he should be sent back.

Long dispatches from Cape Town describe the intense feeling at the failure of the Johannesburgers to succor Dr. Jameson, but the National Union delegate says that a disobedience of Governor Robinson's orders would have frustrated his delicate mission of mediation, and all the old animosities of the Majuba times would have been revived. The people are angry and at cross purposes, but are unanimous in their enthusiasm for Dr. Jameson.

A dispatch from Johannesburg says that that Colonel Rhodes told the crowd the whole truth, declaring that it was the bitterest moment of his life. The committee never imagined that Dr. Jameson was in such desperate straits, having received hopeful messages.

Warlike Doings.

The Times this morning makes the following announcement: Orders have been sent to Portsmouth, Devonport and Chatham for the immediate commissioning of six ships to form a flying squadron, the object of which is obviously to have a squadron ready for any required emergency. It will be composed of two first-class battleships, two first-class and two second-class cruisers. Probably the Royal Oak and the Revenge will be chosen.

The possibility of the commissioning of such a squadron at a moment's notice shows that our resources are better than are supposed, and are proof that our naval organization has greatly improved of late years. It has also been decided to dispatch a naval force to Delagon Bay, but it is unknown whether it will be composed of vessels from the Cape or from the East Indies.

In an editorial The Times hopes that the Mediterranean fleet will be withdrawn from Salonica and ordered elsewhere and prepared for emergencies.

The Times congratulates the country upon the foregoing news, and, with reference to a reiteration by its Berlin correspondent of the statement that Germany had intended to land marines at Lorenzo Marquez for the invasion of the Transvaal, and had only abandoned the intention on hearing of Dr. Jameson's defeat, The Times says:

This is a grave statement, and we refuse to believe that Portugal would have lent herself to such a move. But it proves that German interference was not the result of sudden indignation at Dr. Jameson's action, but had been meditated and discussed and presumably concerted with the Boers. Emperor William's indignation must accordingly be regarded in the light of diplomatic histrionics. It is a tradition of German policy to prepare a coup secretly and then to give it an air of coming about by an unfortunate accident. There is grave reason to suspect that she has long harbored hostile designs. This theory will explain the Boers' extraordinary obstinacy in refusing moderate concessions to the Uitlanders.

The Globe prints some sensational news under scare head lines, and states that the war office sent a special military messenger yesterday afternoon to the colonial office, and that it is rumored important orders are impending.

A dispatch received here from the military camp at Aldershot says that the general belief, almost backed by proof, prevails there that the authorities are considering the mobilizing of the army reserves and part of the militia. The men employed in the ordnance stores are all very busy.

The Daily Telegraph announces that it has been decided to intercept the troops in transit to and from India in order to send strong re-enforcements of infantry and cavalry to the Cape. This paper also states that troops in addition will be sent from England, and that a first-class cruiser has been ordered to Delagon Bay.

The correspondent of The Standard at Aldershot believes that there is a question of calling out the army reserve and a portion of the militia. The Duke of Connaught and the chief staff officers, this correspondent says, are busy at headquarters and are in constant communication with the war office.

A special dispatch from Berlin says that Dr. Leyds, the secretary of state for the Transvaal, has received a dispatch which states that the Transvaal demands from England an indemnity of £500,000 for Dr. Jameson's invasion.

Williams Gets Five Years.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 8.—The trial of Frank Williams, alleged murderer of Harvey Polletier, closed yesterday. The jury, after being out 1½ hours, brought in a verdict of manslaughter. Williams waived his right to a new trial, and was sentenced to serve five years in the state prison.

KEEPS IT HANDY

Lowell People are Classing Them Among the Necessities.

"Handy to have in the house," is an old expression, and relates to those things that emergency demands. Our good old grandmothers always kept a full stock of them, and that is where the old saying came from. Tried and true remedies soon become a part of the household dispensary, and this is right. In those olden days kidney troubles meant send for the doctor. Today, Doan's Kidney Pills in the house are the safeguards against backaches, urinary derangement, pains in the kidneys and all the miseries they bring. They are the sure cure for any stage of kidney complaint and a very important feature with them is that they do not affect any healthy condition of any part of the system. They are simply kidney remedies and do their work. Ladies, far more than men, appreciate such remedies. The constant going up and down stairs and ordinary bending and stooping necessary in house work tells on the kidneys, and having something sure to dispel the complaint "handy" is the right thing to do. Mrs. Charles Slowey, 641 Market street, tells us her complaint began with backache, then soreness across the kidneys, followed by urinary trouble. Going up and down stairs was painful. The urine was scant and pained in passage. Indigestion added its weight, and she was thoroughly depressed. She says: "I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and got them at Ellingwood & Co's, Merrimack and Central streets, and I want to say now I have no more pains or urinary trouble. Going up and down stairs doesn't bother me, and the urine is natural. Doan's Kidney Pills did it, and I now have a box in the house that we all take on the first intimation of any more backache."

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MGR. SATOLLI'S MISSION

TO THE UNITED STATES A COMPLETE SUCCESS.

What the Boston Herald Says Upon the Subject—United the Church and Disarmed Prejudice.

The Boston Herald has the following interesting article in regard to the mission of Cardinal Satolli:

The elevation of Mgr. Satolli to the cardinalate on Sunday in Baltimore, and his investment with the robes of his office, was an imposing function, and was the second or third time that it had been performed in this country. Though he will remain there a while before returning to Rome to receive the red hat from the Pope, his work as the papal ablegate is practically at an end, and it is a proper time to sum up what he has accomplished during his residence as a special officer of the church of Rome in this country. He has stood before the people with the constitution in one hand and the bible in the other, emphasizing the fact that American principles are to be placed in the front, and that no Irish, no German and no Italian faction has any right to put itself forward and claim recognition. He has put an end to these parties and taught that we are one people, and that the dividing lines of race and religion are not to be maintained in the United States. Within the church he has compelled a recognition of the canon law by both bishops and priests, and has insisted that it shall not be disregarded by any one. When he first came there were many cases of discipline awaiting adjustment, but now they have all disappeared, and as much harmony exists as could be expected in a large organization where there are wide differences of opinion. The mission of Cardinal Satolli has had the effect, within the church, of increasing the respect for law. It has composed differences and put aside those who were trying to bring into this country the prejudices of race and religion that exist in the old world, and it has specially removed the stigma that the Roman Catholic church is endeavoring to carry out a policy that is hostile to American institutions. He has won the respect of all Americans and united the church in which he serves.

BOWLING NEWS.

The Highlands were beaten again last night when the Charlestown bowlers put up a score of 2653 while the Highlands were knocking down 2542 pins. The Highlands led on the first string by 37 pins but were easily overtaken and passed. The score:

Charlestown—Ingraham 550, Willett 552, Kenney 512, Caldwell 524, Marston 505; totals 2653.

Highlands—Church 512, Leighton 482, Barton 517, Dickerman 514, Lewis 517; totals 2542.

The Lowells Beaten.

Ed. Morse's Nashua team of the Merrimack Valley league defeated the Lowell's last night by the following score:

Nashua—Boire 498, Atwood 465, Fuller 508, Degnan 472, Fogarty 564; totals 2507.

Lowell—Hartwell 402, Savage 418, Fullerton 463, Boulger 523; total 2326.

Victorious Wholesale Grocers.

On the Olympic alleys last night the Wholesale Grocers vanquished their old foes, the Armours, by a score of 2375 to 2247.

2336 to 2235.

The Merrimacks were defeated by the Centrals on the Olympic alleys last night, 2336 to 2235. A big crowd of rooters was present.

Y. M. C. I's vs. Middlesex.

On the Young Men's alleys last night, the Y. M. C. I. team defeated the Middlesex team of the Merrimack Valley league, by 59 pins. Beauregard was high roller with 564. The Y. M. C. I's led by 27 pins at the end of the first string and increased the margin in each other string. Five men in all were under 500. The score:

Y. M. C. I's—Farley 455, Carney 530, O'Sullivan 556, McMahon 561, Dunham 490; total 2592.

Middlesex—Beauregard 564, Gregory 484, Halstead 491, Clogston 513, Smith 481; total 2533.

CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEES.

Mayor Courtney And President Webster Will Consult.

One of the republican councilmen said last evening that President Webster will not name his committees till Mayor Courtney appoints the committees of the upper board.

Mayor Courtney said last night that before appointing his committees he will consult with Mr. Webster so that both may announce their committees at the same time.

Mr. Webster is quoted as saying that no democratic councilmen will be appointed to the lands and buildings committee.

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ENGLAND WRONG

So Says a Prominent British Subject.

PREDICTS DEFEAT FOR ENGLAND IN WRONG CAUSE.

Favors Arbitration of the Venezuelan Dispute.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Sir Edward Clarke, speaking at Plymouth last evening, in referring to Venezuela, said: "We must not be too impatient or angry with the Monroe doctrine. If we refused to arbitrate, except outside the Schomburgk line, we should have war with the United States, and a war in which we would not be right. Each side must yield to some extent. To say that a line fixed in 1840 was unalterable was to adopt as unreasonable an attitude as the United States adopted in President Cleveland's message."

He hoped, he said, that the government would resume negotiations with Venezuela direct, and some mediator would be found whose judgment could be accepted with honor by both countries. In that case, he continued, we might be called upon to bear taunts both here and in America. It would not be pleasant to hear that we had yielded after President Cleveland's message, but he did not believe in a bastard honor which feared to do justice because justice had been demanded with insult or menace.

It was our business especially to face the fearful calamity of war with America, to make up our minds to what was right, and to do the right calmly and on the authority, regardless of taunt, and content that we had helped to preserve peace by the only conduct worthy of a great nation.

Imprisonment For Life.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—Robert J. Cody, the highwayman, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Sherman to the Charlestown state prison for life. He was convicted for highway robbery of $100 from Albert E. Chadbourne, being armed with a loaded revolver, with the intent to kill and maim. It was committed Nov. 30, 1893, in a doorway, Cody being helped in the job by his pal, Brown, who is at present serving a sentence in a state institution.

Uncle Sam Well Represented.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The continued reports of the assembling of a large United States fleet in Turkish waters are discredited by those in a position to know at the navy department. It is pointed out that the fleet already there are ample to give any moral effect to such urgent demands on Turkey as this government might determine upon. This fleet is said to equal that of any of the European powers, although their interests in Turkey are far more important than those of the United States.

Clifton Still on the Shoals.

CHATHAM, Mass., Jan. 8.—The British schooner Clifton is still ashore on Shovelful shoals. Tugs Mercury and Kate Jones unsuccessfully tried to float her yesterday. As steam pumps keep the vessel clear of water, it is hoped that she can be saved. The crew have gone on board again, but the lifesavers will take them off in event of a storm.

Probably Stopped Over.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—No alarm is felt at the navy department over the U. S. S. Baltimore, reported at San Francisco to be overdue. She was under sailing orders to stop at Yokohama, and if she had laid up there a week for any cause she would not yet be due.

Live Stock Markets.

Amount of live stock on the markets at Brighton and Watertown:

	Cattle.	Sheep and Lambs.	Swine.
Western	2,728	13,945	31,700
Massachusetts	101	357	96
Maine	104	818	4
New Hampshire	148	1,003	20
Vermont	193	2,257	97
Totals	3,272	18,400	31,857

Prices for market beef—A few choice, $8@7; extra, $5.50@5.75; first quality, $5@5.25; second quality, $4@4.50; third quality, $3@3.50.

Prices for store cattle—Working oxen, ₱ pair, $145@140; farrow cows, $10@22; fancy cows, $50@68; milch cows and calves, $20@44; yearlings, $8@16; 2-year-olds, $12@22; 3-year-olds, $20@32.

Western fat swine—Live, 3½@4½c; northern dressed hogs 4½@5 ₱ lb.

Prices for sheep and lambs—In lots, $1.50@2@2.50 each; extra, $2.75@4, or 1½@4c ₱ lb; lambs, 3@5c; veal calves, 2½@5¼c.

Prices of hides, tallow and skins—Brighton hides, 4½@5½c ₱ lb; tallow, 3@3c ₱ lb; country hides, 1½@4½c ₱ lb; country tallow, 1½@2c ₱ lb; pelts, 35@55c each; calf skins, 60@1 each; dairy skins, 35@40c each.

Cattle—Supply of cattle runs heavy from the west, of which exporters have the lion's share. The market for cattle was considered ¼c better than last week, which called in more northern stock. Good butchering cattle were in demand, with no improvement in common grades.

Milch cows—A good supply, with no improvement in demand. Values at $20@60 for the most part.

Fat hogs—Market rules ¼c higher, with western at 3¾@4¼c ₱ lb, l. w. Country lots at 4¾c ₱ lb, d. w.

Sheep—The market west has improved on good quality lambs and sheep, which has a tendency to strengthen prices here. Good country were sold a little better. Common flocks were sold at no higher bids.

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BAY STATE LEGISLATURE

HOUSE YIELDS TO SENATE IN DEADLOCK.

Many Petitions and Measures of General Interest Introduced.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—The general court committee on rules had a meeting yesterday and agreed to recommend to the legislature that the house recede so far as its action consolidated the committees on taxation and finance, and that the former committee remain as hitherto; further that the joint committee on expenditures shall consist of the committee on treasury of the senate and ways and means of the house. In effect, this leaves the committees as in former years, except that the name of the house committee on taxation is changed to committee on ways and means.

The following petitions were received in the senate: For incorporation of the Malden Trust company to maintain a safe deposit, loan and trust company in the city of Malden; for biennial elections; for incorporation of the Amherst and Sunderland Electric Street Railway company, capital stock $50,000; for the incorporation of the Gardner Home for Elderly People.

Mayor Harwood of Lynn petitions that the city of Lynn be relieved from the assessments levied by the metropolitan park commissioners, under the act that established the board, on the city of Lynn. He asks that the assessments be reduced or wholly taken off.

Mr. Reed introduced a bill providing that no one shall offer or expose for sale or have in his possession partridges or ruffed grouse after Nov. 1 of any year or before Sept. 15 of the succeeding year.

Among the petitions presented in the house were the following: Of Frederick Bleiler, that he may be given a seat as representative from the Twenty-second Suffolk representative district; of James F. Ryan, for a seat as representative from the Sixteenth Suffolk district; of the city of Salem, for the establishment of a reserve police force; of the city of Pittsfield, for authority to increase the sources of its water supply; of the Lowell and Suburban Street Railway company, praying for the extension of its corporate powers; of the Pittsfield Electric Street Railway company, for authority to construct and operate its railway in the town of Dalton; of the town of Falmouth, for legislation to enable the towns of the county of Barnstable to construct a highway and bridge across streams and ponds in Falmouth.

Mr. Rourke put in a bill constituting eight hours a day's work for state, county, city and town employes.

The Birdjik Slaughter.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The Turkish legation here has received from the sublime porte the following telegram under date of Jan. 7: "The incident provoked by the Armenians at Birdjik had very serious importance. Order has been restored. Thirty-one Mussulmans and Armenians were killed and 50 wounded. No disorders have taken place anywhere else."

Undue Influence Claimed.

NASHUA, N. H., Jan. 8.—The heirs of J. W. White were granted a jury trial in this city yesterday in the suit against the widow of the deceased for a division of the estate, valued at $300,000. It is claimed that undue influence was used by the widow on her husband, who was feebleminded before his death, thus getting all the property into her hands.

MRS. DAVIDSON'S CAREER

As Related by Herself Upon the Witness Stand.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—The preliminary examination of Mrs. Mary A. Davidson, charged with extorting $500 from Rev. Dr. C. O. Brown, was resumed in the police court yesterday. Mrs. Davidson testified that she was born in Bangor, Me. When she was 8 years old she moved to Bucksport. She was married there to Franklin Pierce, who was, during the civil war, a major. When he went to the front, she, too, went and volunteered her services, working on the field and in the hospital. After the war was over she returned with her husband to Bucksport. He had resigned from the army just prior to the close of the war. He died in 1869.

She subsequently married Thomas Y. Davidson. She came to California on Jan. 9, two years ago, to show corsets at the midwinter fair, and has lived here ever since. She became acquainted with Mattie Overman at Rev. Mr. Rollins' mansion. About two months ago she met her at Dr. Brown's.

She was never a member of Dr. Brown's church, but at the solicitation of Dr. Brown and the superintendent of the Sunday school she took a Bible class, and he had praised her work in that capacity both before and after the date on which he paid her the $500. He had also eulogized her to the other members of the Sunday school and of the church in her presence. She narrated her intimacy with Mattie Overman, whom she accuses jointly with Dr. Brown, and told how she had secured the girl's confidence.

Think Premier Incompetent.

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—In the house of commons yesterday G. E. Foster, ex-minister of finance, made a statement in reference to the causes which had actuated himself and six colleagues in resigning their positions as cabinet members. The sole reason given was that the seceding ministers had no confidence in Bowell's leadership. They contended that Bowell was incompetent to lead the government. Bowell made a statement in the senate that he would go on with remedial legislation. He stigmatized the action of the seven ministers who seceded as unfair, undignified and uncalled for. It is not thought probable that Bowell's government will be able to carry remedial legislation.

Given Thirteen Years.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—"Dr." H. E. Bishop, alias H. A. Bailey, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Sherman to 13 years in the state prison. On Oct. 24, 1894, he performed a criminal surgical operation on Petrena Matson, which caused her to die a few days after. The court said that it could not help feeling that a man who attempted to perform delicate operations of the kind which the defendant did, ought to have the skill commensurate with the task, and that the business as carried on by the defendant, who was, as appears, a butcher before he practiced such operations, was nothing less than pure butchery. Accordingly the sentence was made stern.

Tragedy In a Church.

WATERBURY, Conn., Jan. 8.—Joseph Dulciksie was fatally shot at a wedding in the Polish church here yesterday by Finan Juzinie. The latter escaped. The two quarreled over family affairs.

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The Bay State's Toilers.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—The annual report of Chief Wade of the Massachusetts district police shows that 5069 mechanical, manufacturing and mercantile establishments were inspected during the year. The whole number of children employed in factories and workshops visited is 13,892; children employed between 13 and 14 years of age, 302; young persons employed between 14 and 16 years of age, 13,590; number of males employed, 233,317; number of females employed, 157,122; whole number of males and females employed, 390,439. The report devotes considerable space to the ventilation of factories, workshops, schoolhouses and public buildings.

In an Awful Plight.

ATCHISON, Kan., Jan. 8.—A letter was received here yesterday saying that the family of Frank McCain, formerly a merchant here, were snowbound and starving in the mountains, 19 miles from Winthrop, Wash. The letter was written by the oldest son, who by great effort got through the storm-drifts to Winthrop. McCain had become insane. There were seven children in the family.

Curtis Gave Good Share.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—According to the account of the treasurer of the Republican Citizens' committee, filed with the city clerk, the recent city campaign fund aggregated $6715.41, to which Mayor Curtis contributed $4065.41. The entire fund was disbursed, the newspapers receiving $4400.

Cook to Succeed Anderson.

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 8.—The protracted contest over the Nashua police commissionership was ended yesterday by the appointment of Frank D. Cook by Governor Busiel to succeed Commissioner Anderson. The nomination was confirmed by the council.

The newly elected officers of the Sons and Daughters of Maine were installed last evening at Post 120 hall, a supper and entertainment following the exercises.

Next Monday night, the special committee appointed by Mayor Courtney will grant a hearing to those who are opposed to the appointment of John J. McManus and Michael J.—O'Boyle as constables. The hearing will be held in the public hearing room.

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One lot Fancy Cloth Jackets, in tan checks and mixtures, box front, regular price $9.75, for this sale only $4.75.

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100 Large Honeycomb Bedspreads, 59c., were 75c.

1500 yards Pure Linen Crash, 6 1-4c., was 10c.

100 yards Fine Colored Satins, 25c., was 50c.

50 dozen Large Linen Towels, 10c., were 15c.

500 yards Heavy Linen Damask 29c., was 50c.

50 dozen pairs 4-Button Heavy Undressed Kid Gloves, all perfect, 50c. pair, never sold less than $1.

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JUST A HINT OF THE BARGAINS.

White and Gray Blankets sold this season $1.75 to $2, only 98c. a pair.

A vast lot of 11-4 Blankets that sold from $4.75 to $5.50 down to $2.98 a pair.

70 pairs of White Wool 11-4 Blankets, sold to date $6 to $7, only $3.49 a pair.

All our California and Ohio All-Wool Blankets that sold all season from $7 to $15, will be offered today at half price.

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SECOND EDITION

THE ANNUAL BALL

Of the Lowell Police Relief Association.

"COPS" OF ALL DEGREES JOIN IN THE DANCE.

A Brilliant Assembly and Fine Decorations.

Time in its onward flight apparently turned backward for a few happy hours last night for the old timers of the police department did then disport themselves in Huntington hall.

It was an old time dance, the eighth annual ball of the Police Relief association, an annual coming together as it were of all the old blue coats and their cronies with hundreds of young people to help them cheat time.

They were all there those "old fellows" and they danced like professionals, while John Walsh, Peter Cawley, Doc Allen, Con. Howard, John Dennett and the rest of the young fellows were dancing all the time.

The storm did not interfere with the size of the attendance and up to midnight the hall, floor and galleries were packed.

The decorations were grander than usual, consisting of numerous streamers of vari-colored bunting artistically arranged running from the centre of the ceiling, under which was suspended a mammoth bell, to every corner of the building. The windows and boxes were handsomely draped with lace while the stage, occupied by the orchestra, was decorated with potted plants and palms by McManmon.

From eight till nine the American orchestra directed by Emil Borjes rendered the following concert program:

Overture, "The Viking's Daughter,".....Sudds
a, Romance, "Day Dreams,".....Rollinson
b, Scherzo, "The Indian Mail,".....Catlin
Concert solo, "War Memories,".....Hartmann
Mr. R. McDaniel.
Grand selection from Flotows Opera "Martha,"
Xylophone solo, "Old Favorites,".....Stobbe
Mr. H. Dufresne.
Medley overture, "On Broadway,".....De Witt
American orchestra, Mr. E. J. Borjes, conductor.

Shortly after 9 the march was begun and it was the most pleasing feature of the evening. It was led by Deputy McQuade in full dress uniform and Mrs. James E. Mitchell who was exquisitely attired in a gown of changeable silk. Then followed Officers John Walsh and wife, James Holland and Miss Lee, John B. Crowley and Miss Mowatt, Hugh Maguire and Miss Reagan and some 200 other couples. All the officers were attired in full dress uniform while many of the ladies were beautifully gowned.

After the march an order of 24 numbers was entered upon with an intermission at midnight for supper.

During the evening the police commissioners dropped in as did Mayor Courtney and members of the city government. Supt. Davis was with the young fellows all night.

At 12.30 the night shift blew in and warmed up with a few whirls around the hall and at 2.30 the enjoyable affair was brought to a close.

The officers of the affair and their assistants were as follws:

Gen. Manager, Supt. Davis.
Floor Director, J. A. Walsh.
Asst. Floor Director, J. E. Holland.
Aids, F. Fox, E. Fox, W. H. Grady, C. Gregg, H. Farrington, D. Lane, A. E. Libby, A. J. Page, P. Fitzpatrick, R. W. Stowell, C. E. Ryder, L. E. Ingalls, H. Maguire, M. J. Lennon, E. T. Swan, J. Boyle, P. H. Brady, J. Buchanan, Eloi Breault, J. B. Crowley, J. J. Crowley, P. Cawley, M. Connors, H. W. Clement, P. T. Corcoran, J. M. Dunfey, H. Downey M. A. Maher, R. Welch Jr., J. S. Dennett, B. Kane, G. W. Marshall, W. H. O'Brien, M. O'Connell, N. Provencher, J. H. McKay, J. Hickson, D. H. Hogan, T. McCloughrey, J. T. Whittaker, A. Murphy, B. Ryan, J. W. Tilton, A. M. Holman, J. F. Hurley.

Reception committee—Chairman, Supt. George R. Davis; Deputy McQuade, Deputy Moffatt, Lieut. Kew, Lieut. Dunlavey, Sergt. Brosnan, Sergt. Palmer, Inspector Allen, Inspector Donaldson, Inspector Goodwin, Inspector Laflamme, C. Howard, T. J. Sanborn, A. Duncan, W. G. Bumps, C. McIntee, D. J. Breen, E. N. Grinnell, H. N. Tilton, J. R. Mackenzie.

People's Club.

The secretary, James Watson submitted the following report to the board of trustees of the People's club last evening: The reports of attendance for December were presented as follows: Men's branch reading room, 3731, average 149; books taken 174; amusement room, 2676, average, 107; women's branch reading room, 1001, average 37; amusement room, 1246, average 47.

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CHENEY ELECTED

Superintendent of Streets Over Crowley.

CITY MESSENGER CAHILL STILL IN POSSESSION.

The Howe-Wilson Contest Yet Unsettled.

"Bob" Crowley is out.

The aldermen last night named Cleveland J. Cheney as his successor, and the councilmen graciously fell into line.

The contest between Aldermen Howe and Wilson for a place on the water board is still on. The former is the aldermen's choice, and the council stands for the latter.

Mr. Wilson has pledged himself if elected to vote against Supt. Thomas of the water board and that accounts for his election in the council. Mr. Howe says he will not make any promises till he is elected.

At last night's meeting of the common council, Councilmen Hartwell and John P. O'Hare were paired, the latter being absent owing to the death of his mother.

All the aldermen were present when Mayor Courtney called to order.

Notices of the elections in the lower board were read.

William H. Gordon, Ezra E. Mansur, John E. Maguire and John J. Gray were nominated and confirmed as constables.

Notices of claim for bodily injuries of Bridget Allen was referred.

The school board petitioned for the following new school buildings and 12 room school to take the place of the Bartlett school; 6 room school on Carter street; 4 room school at Tyler park; 4 room addition to the Lincoln school; 2 room addition to the Lakeview avenue school; a new hall in the Varnum school; 2 new rooms at the Training school and one new room at the Varnum avenue school.

Several building permits were granted.

Several sewer assessments were approved.

On motion of Alderman Flemings a ballot was taken for superintendent of streets. The result as announced was: Robert E. Crowley 1, Cleveland J. Cheney 4, George L. Fowler 3, blank 1, and there was no choice.

Another ballot was then taken, with the following result: Cleveland J. Cheney 5, George L. Fowler 4, and Mr. Cheney was declared elected.

Alderman Dow moved to ballot for a member of the water board from the board of aldermen. The motion passed and the vote stood, Charles E. Howe 5, John C. Wilson 3, Charles Howe 1, and Mr. Howe was declared elected on the part of the aldermen.

Alderman Crowley moved that the appointments of Michael O'Boyle and John McManus as constables, against whom remonstrance was offered be referred to the special committee appointed for that purpose.

The motion passed.

Aldermen Crowley and Pevey were appointed a committee to approve the clerk's record.

A recess of 10 minutes was then taken.

The board reassembled and Mayor Courtney appointed Aldermen Crowley and Howe on the committee on salaries.

The board then adjourned.

COMMON COUNCIL.

It was after 8.30 when President Webster called the council to order last night. The new clerk, Frank N. Owen was on duty and seemed to get the run of things all right.

The council extended a vote of thanks to the retired clerk, Frank J. Simonds for faithful service.

Messrs. Hunton and Reynolds were appointed a committee to approve the clerk's records.

The petition of the school board for new schools and improvements, was laid on the table till the next meeting, on motion of Mr. Hounsell.

Messrs. Hunton, Rivet and Miskella were appointed a committee to revise the jury list and a recess was taken while they did the work.

It was five minutes after 10 o'clock when the councilmen reassembled.

Mr. Eveleth moved to ballot for a superintendent of streets.

Mr. Hartwell who was paired with Councilman John O'Hare asked permission to vote on this matter.

Pres. Webster said that this could not be done unless written notice was given that the pair had been dissolved. If the matter were left to the council it is only natural to suppose that the republican majority would vote to give Mr. Hartwell the privilege.

Mr. Hounsell moved that the democrats be allowed to decide whether or not Mr. Hartwell should vote.

Mr. Sullivan moved that Mr. Hartwell be permitted to vote, but after thinking the matter over, Mr. Hartwell decided to refrain from voting.

The ballot was then taken and resulted in 24 votes for Cleveland J. Cheney and 1 for George L. Fowler, and Mr. Cheney was declared elected.

Mr. Drewett moved to ballot for city messenger.

Mr. Sullivan moved as an amendment to adjourn.

Mr. Hounsell raised the point of order that the amendment is not germaine to the original question and the chair decided the point well taken.

Mr. Thornton moved as an amendment to ballot for a member of the water board from the aldermen. The amendment prevailed.

The result of the ballot was: Charles E. Howe 10, John C. Wilson 15, and Mr. Wilson was declared elected in non-concurrence.

The committee appointed to examine the jury list recommended the adoption of the list and it was so voted.

Councilmen Jacobs, Nay, and Hallett were appointed on the committee on salaries.

Councilman Miskella moved to adjourn and the motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. Drewett a ballot was taken for city messenger with the following result: James H. Cahill 8, John C. Wilson 1, Edward T. Goward 7, L. F. Kittredge 1, C. F. Going 8, and there was no choice.

The council then adjourned.

Why Not?

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing? Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

MARTIN TRAPPED

In Dual Life by Brother-in-Law.

MAINTAINED TWO HOUSES AND TWO WIVES.

One Wife a Former Lowell School Teacher.

Franklin H. Martin, the Boston druggist, accused by the police of being a polygamist, is alleged to have maintained two separate establishments, one in Medford and one in Back Bay district.

At his Medford home, a roomy suburban establishment of the prosperous type, he maintained an extensive pigeon cote, and raised and bred some of the valuable and fancy breeds of pigeons.

In this connection he was widely known and at the present pigeon show he exhibited a number of his prize pets from the Medford cote, winning prizes.

At the same time he presented to many who visited that place the dashing, handsome and youthful Mrs. Martin, nee Burnell, as his wife, while many were acquainted with his first wife, by appearance at any rate, from their visits to his pigeon cote in Medford.

The suspicions of Arthur T. Burnell, his second wife's brother, were aroused. He had learned of his sister's whereabouts, after a long search, and his investigations brought about the arrest.

Franklin H. Martin spent his youth in Lowell, universally respected and popular. He made his home with his uncle, Franklin H. Martin, of the firm of Martin & Langley.

Here Martin, while employed as a clerk in the drug store of Brown & Bailey, became acquainted with Miss Mary E. Gerry, a teacher in the Highland school and a prominent member of the Eliot Congregational church.

The acquaintance ripened into love, and upon their engagement being announced their acquaintances congratulated the young couple on their bright prospects and assured happy future.

The marriage took place on July 11, 1888, in the Eliot Congregational church, the knot being tied by Rev. Dr. J. M. Greene, the pastor.

According to the record in the city clerk's office, Martin gave his residence as Watertown, and his occupation, druggist. His native place he gave as Bloomfield, Vt., aged 27 years. Mary S. Gerry gave her native place as Sudbury, and her occupation as school teacher.

The couple went to Watertown where Martin established a drug store and successfully launched in business. In this place the couple were prosperous and happy.

After four years he embarked in business for himself in the West End, having his home in Medford.

Finally he began to remain out owing to business demands, and stories of his association with other women began to reach his confiding wife at Medford.

At this point Miss Burnell appears in the case.

Alma Z. Burnell was a student at Bradford academy up to last May. She is tall and handsome, 18 years of age, and she belongs to a good family in Plattsburg, N. Y. Unexpectedly she went to New York city, and on Sept. 11 she was married by Rev. C. W. Griffin of Trinity church to Franklin H. Martin, a druggist at 1433 Washington street, Boston.

Martin hired a cosy little flat at 25 Dalton street, in the Back Bay, which he furnished handsomely, and for companion to his wife, he hired a dashing blonde, Alma Neuberg. There was evidence of wealth in the Martin family.

For a while the couple were very happy. Then there was an awakening. Monday night Martin was arrested, taken from the flat at 25 Dalton street, by Inspectors Cleary and Wolff, on complaint of Arthur J. Burnell, a West End employe.

On being placed in custody he made an effort to secure the evidence of his second marriage.

"Give me the certificate, do give it to me!" he pleaded. Mrs. Martin put him off.

"Well, I'll see if I can find it," she said. Then she fainted. She has not looked for the certificate, for all the time it was in the hands of Lawyer Arthur Fillipo, who is engaged by Alma's family to prosecute Martin.

Martin was arraigned in court yesterday for polygamy and held in $800, bonds being furnished.

NOT TOO LATE.

But There Will be Only One Term Given.

There is yet time to join Prof. Dodge's French class. Those who register today at 4.30 or 7.30 will be helped up with the class by private instruction. One term only will be given.

MATRIMONIAL.

Rev. O. H. Denney united in marriage last evening George A. Lindsay and Carrie H. McGregor. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth McGregor, 239 Cross street.

Miss Ina M Winters was bridesmaid, Mr. Melvin G. Gooch best man and Miss Mabel M. Palmer maid of honor.

Bradt Suicided.

An expert examination of the remains of Peter P. Bradt shows that he committed suicide. This is the fourth tragic death in the family. The others were accidental.

Monroe Doctrine Echoes.

Mr. Bull thinks the Monroe doctrine is great medicine for the other fellow.—New York Recorder.

The Cubans have a Monroe doctrine of their own and know how to defend it.—New York Advertiser.

It is expected that Venezuela will not fall into a delusion to the effect that it is the whole Monroe doctrine.—Washington Star.

In the light of current events, James Monroe's place in American history seems considerably more secure than it did six months ago. Nothing is more creditable to the statesmen of today than their willingness to turn back and take counsel from the fathers of the republic.—New York Mail and Express.

POOR OVERSEERS

Have Two Superintendents on Their Hands.

COLLINS AND PINDAR FIGHT FOR THE OFFCE.

Former Holds the Keys Pending Legal Advice.

In the city farm buildings, Col. Pindar took up his abode last evening, and was installed as superintendent. Under the same roof slept Supt. Collins, still claiming command and holding the keys to the institution.

Both men were in good spirits, and each was satisfied that he was in control. True, Collins had the keys; but Pindar claimed to have the job.

Yesterday afternoon's events with the oversers of the poor were considerably more exciting than those of Monday when the Colonel was elected to succeed Mr. Collins.

At 3 o'clock the overseers met at city hall and started for the city farm. They went in hacks, and by advice of City Solicitor Qua, they took Secretary Courtney with them. Arriving there they were admitted by Mr. Collins, and to him Capt. Kimball explained the object of their mission.

"We have come to place Col. Pindar in charge," said the captain.

"I shall not give up possession till the city solicitor instructs me to do so," replied Mr. Collins.

Mr. Collins complained that the board was pushing him.

Mr. Pindar assured him that he could remain at the city farm till he found a house. "But I shall take charge today," added the Colonel "and shall not interfere in the least with your private affairs."

Then the Colonel told Mr. Collins that its all a game of chance. "You succeeded me," he said, "and now I am back again. Probably you may return next year and it will be all right."

But Mr. Collins said he would never come back. He was tired of politics and will engage in business.

In the meantime, the board held a private talk and Capt. Kimball told Mr. Collins that the board wanted him to give up the keys.

"Don't be too hasty, nor do anything you will be sorry for," said Mr. Collins.

Then Capt. Kimball requested Mr. Collins to introduce Col. Pindar to the employes. Mr. Collins refused. The overseers asked to be shown through the building. "You better wait till tomorrow," said Mr. Collins.

But the overseers decided that the buildings are in their charge and they were privileged to go through them.

So they started and Mr. Collin's opened the doors to the different departments.

On the way Capt. Kimball introduced Col. Pindar to the employes and told them to take all orders from the Colonel.

The overseers, having finished the inspection, started for home, leaving Col. Pindar behind.

City Solicitor Qua and Lawyer Burke the latter representing Mr. Collins will have a conference upon the matter tomorrow when the trouble may be settled.

Supt. Collins was on duty today at the farm and said the city solicitor and Mr. Burke advised both superintendents to remain pending a decision tomorrow.

Last Night's Meeting.

The overseers of the poor held an adjourned meeting last night, and as was expected, President Kimball announced his committees.

They are made up as follows:

Accounts—Fletcher, Ela, Mahoney.

Agriculture—Williams, McKinley, Gilbride.

Clothing—Kimball, Gilbride, Fletcher.

Dispensary—McKinley, Williams, Donohoe.

Wood yard—Holgate, Fletcher, Donohoe.

Printing—Ela, Holgate, Mahoney.

Outdoor relief — McKinley, Holgate, Kimball.

Repairs of building—Williams, Kimball, Ela.

Supplies—Kimball, Williams, McKinley.

A ballot was taken for teacher and chaplain at the city farm and it resulted as follows: James J. Quinn 3, William A. Arnold 6, and Mr. Arnold was declared elected.

It was decided to hold the regular meetings on the last Thursday of each month.

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LATEST

THEIR LAST FAREWELL

TO REV. DR. O'CONNELL IN NEW YORK

On His Departure for Rome as the Rector of the American College.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—A farewell dinner was tendered to Rev. Fr. William H. O'Connell of Boston, the recently appointed rector of the American college, at Rome, at the Hotel Savoy, tonight.

Rector O'Connell sails for Italy tomorrow, in the Normannia, and 60 prominent Catholic clergymen of this and other cities attended the dinner tonight and wished him godspeed.

The dinner took place in the octagon room, and Rector O'Connell sat at the north end of the room, at the right of Rev. P. J. Garvey of Philadelphia, who presided.

Fr. Garvey, in a speech of welcome to the guest of the evening, said that he and the entire clergy of the country were assured that the choice of Fr. O'Connell as rector of the American college was a wise one, and that, on behalf of the clergymen present and the thousands of other well-wishers throughout the country, he wished to congratulate him.

Rector O'Connell, in his response, thanked those present for their good wishes, and said that he felt confident that he would meet with success in the work he had undertaken.

His reasons for believing so, he said, were, first, because he meant to do all in his power to bring about such a result; secondly, because he had not sought the appointment, but that it had come to him by the grace of God, who would help him in the work before him, and, thirdly, because he knew he would have the earnest support of the alumni association of the college.

He then spoke of his work in the church in this country, and of the many dear friends he had made here and would now have to leave.

Nothing but the feeling that he was going to a greater work, he said, could resign him to leaving the many people he loved and the places which association had made dear to him.

Archbishop Corrigan then made a brief speech, consisting principally of a eulogy of Rector O'Connell, and he was followed by Bishop McDonnell of Brooklyn and Rt. Rev. John M. Farley, auxiliary bishop of New York, who made brief congratulatory addresses.

Rev. Francis H. Wall of this city then made an address in behalf of the alumni association of the American college at Rome, in which he assured the new rector of the universal support of the organization.

Rev. Henry A. Brown spoke next, and then Rev. Fr. Thomas McLaughlin of the church of the Transfiguration sang "Jura Vit Dominus," which was composed by Rector O'Connell, all of the diners joining in the chorus.

Among the others present were: Rev. John Ford and Rev. George Lyons of Boston, Revs. Henry Conboy, William Galvin, Thomas McGee of Providence, Rev. Christopher Hughes of Fall River, Rev. William Maher, D.D., Milford, Conn.; Rev. Terence Dolan, Rev. James Donovan, D.D. of Hartford; P. J. O'Leary, Bristol, R. I.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

MARREN—The funeral of the late John J. Marren took place this morning from his late home on Worthen street and was very largely attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Burke.

The choir directed by E. F. Faulkner rendered Schmidt's requiem mass. The pall bearers were Messrs Thomas Connors, James Cunningham, Patrick McGrath, Michael Dyar, Thomas Kelley and Thomas McCormick. Among the floral offerings were a pillow inscribed "Cousin," from John Cassidy; a pillow inscribed "Cousin" from Mrs. Quinn; a pillow inscribed "Brother," from brothers and sisters of the deceased; bouquet from Mrs. Sutherland; a cross, "Cousin" from Patrick Cassidy. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

NORTH BILLERICA NEWS.

The Father Mathew Temperance society of North Billerica elected the following officers last evening: President, John Mahoney; vice president, Michael Cocklin; secretary, Daniel Fitzpatrick; recording secretary, John Welch; treasurer, Bernard Carney.

The society now has 75 members. During the year the society has made improvements in its building, and now has money in the treasury.

LOCAL NOTES.

It is said that the woodyard committee will meet this afternoon.

Deputy John Brunette installed the officers of Court Samuel de Champlain, A. O. F. of A., last evening.

Mr. John Clune of Brockton is spending a few days in this city, the guest of his cousin, Peter E. Clune.

The "Old Timers" will hold a reunion and dance in St. Joseph's hall tonight at which everything will be conducted in the good old style.

The Notre Dame Reading Circle will present a drama in the Convent hall in the near future. As there is considerable talent in the organization the drama will undoubtedly be a grand success.

The festival of the Sunday school teachers of St. Patrick's church will be held in Huntington hall this evening. J. Joseph Hennessey will be floor director, and after a fine concert program dancing will be enjoyed.

Legislative Committees.

Of the Lowell men in the legislature, Senator Pearson was put on the committee on roads, bridges, cities and bills in third reading. Mr. Putnam gets cities, Mr. Rourke, counties; Mr. Roper, federal relations; Mr. Hoban, insurance; Mr. O'Connor, labor and public service; Mr. Stevens of Dracut, liquor law; Mr. Hayes, on water supply.

Assessors Organize.

The board of assessors organized today with Abel Wheeler chairman and N. D. Pratt secretary.

POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

"After the ball."

All is quiet.

Adam Douglass pleaded not guilty of striking Andro Lebdnick with a stove-lifter, which in appearance is similar to a flat-iron. He was held in $800 until Jan. 18.

There was one lone drunk, William E. Brady, who got six months at Bridgewater.

Hugh Rogers, charged with being a common drunkard and complained of by his wife, was sent to Bridgewater for six months.

The cases of four Turks charged with assault and battery was then taken up with Lawyer Stevens for the government and Lawyer McVey for the defendants. Judge Hadley got off a neat little joke when Lawyer Stevens was reading the complaints. "This is a case of four Turks for assault and battery, Your Honor," said Mr. Stevens.

"Is the complainant an Armenian?" inquired the court.

Two interpreters applied for the job but the man furnished by Lawyer McVey did the honors. There was an abundance of witnesses.

DEATHS.

MONAHAN—James H. Monahan, aged 56 years, died yesterday at 5 New Spalding street. Mr. Monahan was a well known contractor of this city, and he leaves a family of grown up children, Charles U., James H., William and John Monahan, and a daughter, Mrs. Clara B. Burns.

CHAMBERLAIN—Mary Chamberlain aged 97 years died at her home 117 Fulton street.

GOODWIN—John F. Goodwin, aged 21 years, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 414 Broadway. He had been ill for a long period. Deceased was a popular young man. He is survived by a mother, two sisters and a brother.

CASEY—Harold H. Casey, aged 5 years and 10 months, son of David and Annie Casey, died yesterday at the home of his parents in Graniteville.

When you want any decorating done or a design made to suit at a reasonable price call on Jim at 6 Prescott street. Greenhouses at Brookside. Telephone connection.

Democratic City Committee.

The contest between Fisher H. Pearson and James H. Chamichael for chairman of the democratic city committee promises to be a lively one. Mr. Pearson's friends claim that they can count votes sufficient to elect him, while Col. Carmichael's friends are equally confident.

A Heartless Mother.

The mother of the little Hadley boy who ran away from his home in Boston and came here, was in town yesterday in search of evidence to send her boy to Thompson's Island for the remainder of his minority. She didn't succeed. No wonder a boy runs away from such a heartless mother.

Hoss And Hoss.

On Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Saturday matinee, Joseph Conyers, original Boston Drummer with "Old Jed Prouty," appears as Judge Willie Hoss in the new "Hoss and Hoss." Walter Gale, the original "Happy Jack" in Denman Thompson's "Old Homestead," plays the part of Lawyer Charlie Hoss in the new "Hoss and Hoss." Carlotta, the peerless dancer, is in the cast of the new "Hoss and Hoss."

Harvard Statistics.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 8.—The official catalogue of Harvard college for 1895 shows that the total number of university instructors is 360, against 337 a year ago. In the college there are 1771 students, against 1667 in 1894. Divided among the professional schools are the following numbers of students: Lawrence scientific school, 340; graduate school, 285; divinity school, 41; law school, 405; dental school, 102; medical school, 531; veterinary school, 55; Bussey institute, 15. The total number in the university is 3605, against 3295 in 1894.

A Conscience-Stricken Man.

GOUVERNEUR, N. Y., Jan. 8.—County Treasurer Sackett yesterday received a check from Boston for $150, together with an explanatory letter, in which the writer said that 12 years ago in this county he had killed a deer and one duck out of season and had never been discovered in his infringement of the game laws, but that his conscience was uneasy. The amount sent fully covers the largest possible fine which could be imposed, and interest.

Protest of Innocence of No Avail.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—The superior court has overruled the exceptions taken by Patrick Sullivan, Patrick J. Foley and Cornelius Nagle, convicted of murdering Duroy S. Foster of Billerica, Sept. 11, 1894, and the men must serve their life sentences. The men still protest their innocence and hope for a new trial in the future.

Suspected of Safe Blowing.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 8.—George Howard, with several aliases, was arrested yesterday on suspicion. He was around this city when the safe in the grist mill on the West Side was blown open. Howard is an old-time safe-blower, and has an extensive record.

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THE SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

WAR IS IMMINENT

Emperor William's Attitude a Deliberate Plan.

TO OPPOSE GREAT BRITAIN IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Even Germans in Milwaukee Talk War.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—The grave political situation instead of being diminished in intensity has increased. It is believed that the attitude of Emperor William towards England after Dr. Jameson's free-booting expedition in the Transvaal was the result of a deliberate plan and the Transvaal matter was the pretext upon which he seized to announce himself as an opponent of British aggression in South Africa. To add to the serious aspect of the case it is said that the Transvaal will demand of Great Britain an indemnity of $2,500,000 as the result of the invasion.

Without making any sensational statement the war spirit is abroad and the press and people are backing up the government. The flying squadron has been ordered to be ready for a sea voyage by Jan. 15.

Milwaukee Germans Talk War.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MILWAUKEE, Wis. Jan. 8—The statement of the Kaiser that he will oppose any sovereignty in the Transvaal has awakened the war spirit among the local Germans. Until lately they were cold and phlegmatic but now they are thoroughly aroused and the prospect of a war is the principal topic of their conversation.

Count Von Hasheldt Wildenberg, German ambassador to England, had a private conference with the Marquis of Salisbury this morning.

HOT FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

It is reported from Madrid that Gen. Campos will be succeeded by either Gen. Weyler or Gen. Palandieja as commander of the Spanish forces in Cuba.

A fire in the Winthrop school of Boston this noon caused a loss of $750. The children marched out in safety.

Judge Lacombe of New York today granted the motion to dismiss the suit of the Arizona Central railroad against the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road for $8,250,000 damages.

The Fourth National bank of New York deposited $500,000 in gold in the subtreasury in exchange for greenbacks.

STATE OF HAWAII

To be Annexed to the United States.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8—Rep. Spalding, rep., of Michigan, today introduced the project of annexing the Hawaiian Island to the United States, as a new state, to be named Hawaii.

Increase of Militia.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Rep. Hale today introduced a naval bill providing for an increase of enlisted men.

First Republican Governor.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 8.—Floyd Lowdes, the first republican governor of Maryland, was inaugurated today.

LYNN TROLLEY PARTY

Comes on a Special Car to See the Spindle City.

A beautiful new electric car marked "special" came into this city today from Lynn bearing a trolley party of business men therefrom. They had a table on which a lunch was provided and they had a supply of refreshments on hand. They had also card tables for their convenience. Among the more prominent in the party were Messrs. Earle Souther, Morrison and Kimball. They dined at the Merrimack house and rode around the city afterwards.

L'Union Franco Americaine.

At the meeting of L'Union Franco-Americaine last evening, 100 members were present.

President Turcotte installed the newly elected officers, and each delivered a brief address.

A motion was passed reducing the city committee from 104 to 52.

This city committee will be elected next Tuesday evening as follows: Ward one, 6; Ward two, 6; Ward three, 4; Ward four, 6; Ward five, 6; Ward six, 6; Ward seven, 10; Ward eight, 4; Ward nine, 4.

A Prosperous Business.

Have you called at the new annex to the grocery store of Barney & Co? It is a meat market situated just around the corner, at 28 Thorndike street. It is one of the neatest and cleanest in the city and prices are very reasonable as one may see by calling and examining their stock. You may get them by telephone at either the grocery or market.

Hamilton Mills Dividend.

The Hamilton mills have declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent payable Jan. 10 to stockholders of record of Dec. 31.

Our store will be closed Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday Evenings until March.



Our American Frieze Ulsters are $10.

Black, Oxford and brown mixtures, strictly all wool; very heavy goods; lined with warm, plaid materials, made with deep collars, double stitched lap seams and with all the straps and quirks that you'll find on higher cost coats. The same garments sold last year for $12.

Better qualities, of course, for $15, $20 and $25.

PUTNAM & SON,
166 Central Street.

HIS SKULL FRACTURED

BY BLOW OF A STOVE LIFTER YESTERDAY.

A Pole Taken to St. John's Hospital in Bad Condition.

There was a Polish row on Davidson street, yesterday afternoon which resulted in a serious injury to Andrew Lebdwicki.

His assailant, Adam Douglass was arrested.

Lebdwicki claims that he called at the house where Douglass was boarding to see a Pole who was visiting there, and was ordered out by Douglass. On refusing to go it is said Douglass struck him on the head with a stove lifter.

Douglass states that the blow was in self-defence and that Lebdwicki went at him with a knife.

The injured man was taken to St. John's hospital where his head was found to be badly bruised making trepanning necessary. He will probably recover.

A SCHOOL FOR FIREMEN.

Fire Chiefs of the Country Favor Brentano's Plan.

Simon Brentano's project for a school of fire extinguishment will be carried into effect during the year 1896. Mr. Brentano will have identified with him in the enterprise many of the most successful fire chiefs of the United States and other influential men who have made a study of his proposed system. Among them are Henry Hills, secretary of the National Association of Fire Engineers; Chiefs Bonner and Sweeney of the New York department, Chief Webber of Boston, Chief Foley of Milwaukee, George G. Patterson, head of the New York fire insurance patrol; Professor Barrett of Chicago and Edward Atkinson.

The aim of the proposed school of fire extinguishment is to elevate the work of firemen to the dignity of a profession and to reduce to scientific principles the prevention and extinguishment of fires.—Chicago Times-Herald.

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$7 18	8 02	8 30	$9 11
$7 27	8 12	9 00	$9 42
$7 38	8 50	9 15	10 25
7 45	8 35	10 00	11 15
8 50	9 40	10 45	11 58
9 00	10 30	11 30	$12 08
9 40	10 40	12 00	$12 58
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1 40	2 50	3 30	4 48
3 00	4 25	4 15	$5 30
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Sunday Trains.

$7 13	8 02	2 00	2 55
$7 27	8 12	9 00	10 07
8 45	9 50	1 00	1 57
$9 16	10 10	5 00	5 59
$4 25	5 32	7 30	8 10
$5 58	7 00	8 00	8 40
		9 00	10 05

Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 50	8 04	7 30	8 33
8 15	9 13	9 25	10 37
9 25	10 42	10 25	11 46
10 50	12 06	11 50	1 08
12 05	1 38	2 15	2 19
12 45	2 01	3 30	4 29
2 20	3 45	3 40	4 56
3 20	4 14	4 25	5 43
4 05	5 24	5 01	6 18
5 10	6 44	6 01	7 06
6 16	7 39	6 35	7 46
7 01	8 06	9 40	10 41
9 30	10 44		

Sunday Trains.

8 15	9 27	8 00	9 19
12 05	1 27	11 45	12 51
4 15	5 27	5 00	6 28
6 30	7 00	7 00	8 21
7 25	8 44		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

‡From Middlesex St. station only.

That Cuban crisis hangs fire.

Rev. Fr. Burke's determination to suppress all the speakeasies in his parish is commended as a pious work.

Emperor William of Germany will not admit England's claims to sovereignty over the Transvaal. Again the British lion is at bay.

The reason why everything went so smoothly in the common council yesterday afternoon was that Mr. Jacobs poured oil on the troubled waters.

Considering the policy of the present school board, the committee on books and supplies must have forgotten itself in voting to purchase a democrat wagon.

Rapid transit and lower taxes form the keynote of Mayor Quincy's inangural address. Boston now realizes the wisdom of her choice in electing Quincy mayor.

Congressman Atwood has been convicted of malfeasance while in the employ of the city of Boston. Now his constituents are unanimously in favor of his resignation from his present office.

Notice the economic policy adopted by the school board in dropping Messrs. Molloy, Conway and Murphy. The citizens will watch to see whether that policy will be adhered to for the remainder of the year.

The republicans are contemplating a clean sweep of the democrats at city hall. The fruits of the gerrymander are now being reaped by the local republicans through the kindness of last year's legislature and Gov. Greenhalge.

The mayor's recommendation to relieve the board of aldermen of the trouble of granting minor licenses. If the board of police had the power, they would give it closer attention than the aldermen can be expected to pay it. The licensing board should grant all licenses.

Some of the stockholders of the Appleton company are kicking hard for dividends. While other concerns in the same business are paying liberal dividends the stockholders of the Appleton company naturally believe that if everything is going rightly they also should have regular dividends.

Ex-Councilman Delehanty is out of office but his title of traitor and cuckoo will follow him. He caused the democrats more trouble and disappointment last year than all the opposition of the republican party. He finally deserted his party entirely and voted only with the republicans. His memory will live in ignominy.

Mayor Courtney recommends the appointment of a committee to purchase the paintings in possession of the Middlesex Mechanics association, now consolidated with the Vesper club. The purchase money might be so high as to make the purchase however desirable an expensive step for a city council that is straining every nerve in search of economy.

THE POOR FARM CONTEST.

The clause of the redistricting act regulating the term of office of Superintendent Collins and others reads as follows:

"Sect. 7. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed; provided that no act heretofore repealed shall thereby be revived, and provided also that all persons who at the time said repeal takes effect shall hold office under any of said acts, shall continue to hold the same according to the tenure thereof, excepting, however, that the terms of office of all members of the school committee and of the board of overseers of the poor shall expire on the first Monday of January next."

The tenure of Mr. Collins office ended December 21, 1895 but as he was elected for another year it is a question for the lawyers whether he is entitled to remain in office for that period or give way to Col. Pindar who has been chosen to succeed him.

LUCK SMILES ON HIM

THE SUDDEN GOOD FORTUNE OF EX-GOVERNOR CAMPBELL.

A Mining Venture In California Likely to Make Him a Millionaire and a Strong Presidential Candidate—Story of the Gold Discovery.

James E. Campbell, former governor of Ohio, is likely soon to have his name written in financial annals as a favorite of fortune. If reports be true—and the facts as thus far developed tend to prove their veracity—the ex-governor, as the happy result of a little mining speculation in the Golden State, will speedily become wealthy beyond the dreams of avarice.

Incidentally this sudden acquisition of riches will have a bearing on the Democratic politics of the state and of the country. It is known that Mr. Campbell a few months since reluctantly entered the gubernatorial campaign in Ohio owing to the wretched condition of his finances, and that had it not been for the promised backing of party friends he would have declined the nomination. The same old argument of impecuniosity is now urged against him as a presidential aspirant, but when the pleasant fact becomes generally known that he has suddenly developed into a full fledged millionaire his hosts of friends throughout the west will assuredly press him forward for the highest honor in the gift of the Democratic party.

Mr. Campbell was in Columbus recently, and, singularly enough, registered at the Chittenden on the page opposite the one on which Governor Elect Bushnell had signed his name. Mr. Campbell, however, found business and other matters extremely pressing and was decidedly reluctant to throw any light on his alleged sudden and welcome acquisition of the coin of vantage, but the information, as it comes from Captain Frank Barrett, formerly of Lancaster, and now located in the San Joaquin valley, California, is extremely interesting.

Some years ago Captain Barrett, whose restless, speculative spirit has made and lost several fortunes for him, concluded to leave Ohio and seek new fields in the far west. He purchased a cattle ranch midway between San Francisco and Los Angeles and settled there. While there he heard the legend that has been handed down from the Indians for half a century to the effect that at a point in the San Joaquin river, near his ranch, there was a vast deposit of gold. The story was that in a great pool formed by a natural dam in the San Joaquin at the foot of the fa-



EX-GOVERNOR JAMES E. CAMPBELL.

mous gold gulch from which many fortunes had been taken there were deposits of gold which the depth of the pool had heretofore prevented anything like successful working. Lack of water had prevented the full working of the gulch itself, for the deposits required placer mining, and it was only when the spring freshets flushed the valley that the evidences of the gold that had for years been swept toward the gulch were obtainable.

Captain Barrett determined to work that pool, and he returned to Ohio and organized a mining company, with quite large capital, and with Governor Campbell, Allen G. Thurman and other Ohio friends as stockholders. Governor Campbell took one-eighth of the stock. Barrett's plan was to build another dam at the head of the pool, change the course of the stream, then drain the first dam and secure its rich deposits.

Professional divers were first secured to prospect the pool. The result surpassed the prospectors' wildest hopes. Gold was brought up to the value of $10 a pan. Then the work of constructing the dam was begun. It was a long and tedious undertaking, and it was only through the summer drought that progress could be made. The work has just been completed, and Captain Barrett came to report to the directors. The drainage of the pool has just begun, but it already promises to make fortunes for all the stockholders.

When questioned about the report, Governor Campbell was greatly surprised to know that the news had leaked out. He was not inclined to talk much about it either.

"I am here," he said, "in consultation with Captain Barrett and some friends about oil speculations in California more particularly than about our gold mine. All I can say as to the latter is that it promises well. I had no idea any one knew anything about it. We are not trying to sell stock. I own an eighth interest, but there is no stock for sale. Whatever there may be out there is a legitimate investment and not a stock jobbery affair. It is going to prove all it promises."

It is the belief that this stroke of fortune which has come to the ex-governor will put him on his feet again financially in a way that will make him a prominent factor in Democratic national politics in 1896. —Chicago Times-Herald.

The Latest Woman's Edition.

A "woman's edition" of a Honolulu newspaper is the latest of many convincing proofs that the Hawaiian Islands are worthy of rank among the highly civilized quarters of the globe. This edition was issued on the 18th of this month, and copies of it are awaited on these shores with eager interest. It should, to be complete, contain an article by Mrs. Lydia Dominis, formerly Liliuokalani, on "How I Missed Restoration," or "My Recollections of a Life of Not Altogether Voluntary Retirement."—Washington Star.

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Miss Newman—I never made any such mistake as that about you, Mr. Chumley. —Brooklyn Life.

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"There is really more than that in it, John," continued Mr. Black. "I really owe you the money."

"I don't understand."

"Let me tell you." And he dropped his voice to a whisper. "You have been with me for 20 years, working 300 days every year and averaging three loads a day. That makes 18,000 loads. You weigh 150 pounds, John, and we have never failed to weigh you with every load. That makes 2,700,000 pounds, or 1,200 tons. This, at an average of £1 per ton, John, represents £1,200. The package you hold in your hand contains £120, or 10 per cent, which we think is yours by right. We are honest men, John, and don't desire to defraud anybody out of what is justly his."

John bowed in humble submission and is now waiting for the next dividend.—London Tit-Bits.

Appealing to the Wrong Man.

Lawyer (closing an impassioned plea)—And now, your honor, I ask you to impose a heavy fine upon this man, who, with the recklessness common to bicyclists, ran down my client and inflicted serious injuries upon him. I ask you to protect the ordinary pedestrian from the reckless bicyclist. Why should a man feel that he owns the universe as soon as he gets upon a wheel? I have no doubt that your honor will impose the full penalty permitted by the law in this case as a moral lesson to bicycle riders and in assertion of the rights of the ordinary citizen.

Judge—The prisoner is fined $1, without costs. (Sotto voce to the clerk) I ride a bicycle myself.—Somerville Journal.

A Relief.

"I don't know but I'm glad that the holidays are about over," said the man who permits himself to be worried over small things.

"Don't you enjoy them?"

"Yes. But it's a great relief to sit back and serenely reflect that it'll be a whole year now before somebody will turn up and think it is smart to write Christmas 'Xmas.' "—Washington Star.

Done According to System.

"Miss Beverly, why does your history club meet twice a week?"

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The senate was treated yesterday to one of Mr. Vest's characteristic speeches. He arraigned the supreme court for the income tax decision; he laid the responsibility for the lack of revenue at their door when they exempted the "sordid wealth of the land" from taxation; he contrasted the records of the present and past administrations; he threw some light upon heretofore unknown chapters in the history of the McKinley law.

The other feature of the session grew out of the introduction by Mr. Chandler of a bill for a popular loan through the issue of postal savings certificates. In the course of Mr. Chandler's remarks, the cable replies of the Prince of Wales, the Rothschilds and others to the New York World were alluded to, and Mr. Lodge claimed that the editor of The World had been guilty of violating section 5335 of the revised statutes in holding communication with officials of another government, the purpose of which "was to interfere with a measure of the United States."

Mr. Gray (Del.) rebuked both Mr. Lodge and Mr. Chandler for the suggestion that public opinion could not be solicited either here or abroad on any question, and affirmed that a just public opinion in all civilized centers must be the final arbitration of all disputes.

Another brief session of the house was held, at which the only important business transacted were the admission of the new member from the new state of Utah—Mr. Allen—and the adoption of resolutions calling upon the attorney general for information concerning the enforcement of the anti-trust law and for recommendations of new legislation on the subject, and on the secretary of the treasury for statistics concerning the seal fisheries of the Behring sea. It is expected the house will take up the discussion of the new code of rules today, as the committee expects to be able to make a report by that time.

No Backdown.

A dispatch from New York quotes the following editorial from today's World concerning the proceedings in the senate:

Senator Lodge yesterday relieved the dreariness of political debate and added to the gayety of nations by quoting in the senate the celebrated section 5335. This is undoubtedly law. It is on the statute books. It is section 5335. It is re-enforced by section 2113 of the same era, which forbids corresponding with foreign governments to incite the Indians to raids on settlers. It is unquestionably the duty of Secretary Olney to enforce this law. It is not enough to print the law in the newspapers, as he has done. He should punish with the full severity of its penalties—not fine or imprisonment, but fine and imprisonment—anyone who has willfully violated it.

The World pleads guilty in advance, to having "without the permission or authority" of Mr. Cleveland or Mr. Olney, carried on intercourse by cable with Lord Salisbury, the Prince of Wales and Duke of York, the Rothschilds and other foreign dignitaries. The statute cited is aged, obsolete, mouldy, moth-eaten dust-covered, and was forgotten until resuscitated by the zeal and watchfulness of Secretary Olney.

Senator Gray's eloquent outburst in defense of publicity and the freedom was splendid, if it was necessary. We think we would like to retain Senator Gray for the defense when Secretary Olney brings his suit. The World will not descend into the dungeon and put out its million-candle-power torch of liberty and intelligence without a struggle.

Atwood Has Nothing to Say.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—Harrison H. Atwood, Republican congressman from the Tenth Massachusetts district, still declines to make any statement regarding the unexpected withdrawal of the criminal libel suit against Frederick W. Peabody, in which the congressman was the complainant. As the result of the termination of the suit, the press of both parties have called upon Mr. Atwood to resign his seat in congress.

HOW WILL IT END?

A Correspondent Thinks We Shall Have a Commercial Treaty With England.

What is likely to be the outcome of the Venezuelan affair? This is a question which I have heard discussed in high official circles in Washington. It is believed by men who are in admirable position to know what is going on that the end of the whole matter will be found in a treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain.

According to this treaty, if the project now talked of be worked out to completion, Great Britain will agree to submit to arbitration not only all of the boundary disputes which she may have with this government, but all those arising between British colonies in the American hemisphere and other powers.

I am not able to say that any proposition looking to this end has been made, either by Great Britain or the United States. In fact, I am sure that no such proposal has been formally made by either nation. But I am equally certain that in one of the many ways known to the art of diplomacy an intimation has been received in Washington from London that ultimately Great Britain may propose such method of settling not only the Venezuelan dispute, but all legitimate contentions concerning territory in this hemisphere.

Whether these intimations are in the form of "feelers," and intended as a means of providing Lord Salisbury with a graceful means of retreat from his present predicament, or whether they are the outgrowth of a general belief that arbitration is becoming a part of the higher international law, and that application of it to all American disputes would work to the advantage of Great Britain by saving her annoyance and cost, is of course purely conjectural.—Walter Wellman in Chicago Times-Herald.

A MOST WONDERFUL MAN

STRANGE CAREER OF DR. JAMESON IN SOUTH AFRICA.

A Man of Iron Nerve and Will—How He Won Over King Lobengula—A Medical Man of Great Skill—A Born Leader of Men.

The recent invasion of the Transvaal by Dr. Jameson, administrator of the British South Africa company and the man who wrestled Matabeleland from the natives, was no great surprise to his friends. Nothing that Dr. Jameson would attempt in the way of daring adventure or accomplish through his impetuous but thoughtful audacity would astonish those who have closely followed his career.

Of all the men who have gained fame in Africa none is more picturesque than Dr. Jim.

In the first place it seems remarkable that he should have gone to South Africa at all. He was born and bred in Scotland, of an ancient Scottish family. His father was a writer for the signet. But those who knew Dr. Jameson in his youth tell



DR. C. S. JAMESON.

strange stories of his dash, cleverness and adventures. He was educated as a physician. He had had an admittedly distinguished medical career and had taken honors in arts when he sailed away to South Africa, settling in Kimberley. He speedily gained a large practice and a commensurate income. He was the leader in his profession. His fame as a medical man alone is very great.

That wonderful uncrowned king of South Africa, Cecil Rhodes, saw the stuff of which Dr. Jameson was made and offered him the opportunity of playing a part in the opening of a new country. He embraced it gladly.

The fat, luxurious and cunning Lobengula, king of the Matabele nation, bitterly opposed granting the concession to the Chartered company, and its budding operations were in danger of destruction. The first emissary sent to him (Thompson) saw Lobengula kill an induna for advising the concession. The emissary was glad to escape with his life.

Dr. Jameson, alone and unarmed, then started for Lobengula's court. Few dared hope that he would return. None dared dream that he could succeed. The attempt showed the mettle of the man. He boldly sought the craftiest of South African kings, who ruled 100,000 Zulu warriors.

The fame of Dr. Jameson's medical skill stood him in good stead in his journey to the king, but menaced him with additional danger after he arrived there, for the king was suffering from a malady which his medicine men could not check and which threatened to kill him at any moment. If Dr. Jameson failed to cure, he knew he would be killed. But science conquered, and Lobengula granted the concession and the permission for the pioneer force to pass through Mashonaland.

Dr. Jameson next explored and established a new route to the ocean, difficult enough, and which gained him supreme command of the South Africa company, but not to be compared with that journey to the great Chief Gungunyana through the worst country in South Africa. It was a two months' journey, practically on foot, through a marshy country, with compass alone to guide. At the start all provisions were lost. Jameson pushed on. He and his small band lived on fruits. It rained for 11 days. Fourteen days were passed in the gloom of a dense African jungle. During the whole journey the only "game" that was seen was a skunk. The three white men were stricken with fever, yet they pushed on and accomplished the mission.

Since that time the doctor has controlled Mashonaland, and he has risen superior to every crisis. He had much trouble with King Lobengula. He warred against the savage soldiers in 1893 with remarkable success. The natives attacked the Mashonas. Dr. Jameson gave warning. He was told that Lobengula could not control his young men.

"Take back those whom you can control, and I will deal with the others," was Dr. Jameson's message.

He ordered an invasion of Matabeleland, and it resulted in the downfall of the great king.

The Boers are wonderful fighters. In the last war with England, about 15 years ago, their marksmanship was the talk of the world. A party of Boers scaled Majuba hill, occupied by Sir George Colley and 400 men. They drove off the British in a panic, killing Sir George, 6 other officers and 90 men, wounding and capturing many others. The Boer loss was 1 killed and 5 wounded. On another occasion 63 Boers killed 268 British soldiers, with a loss to themselves of only 5 or 6.—New York World.

A Chinese Junk For New York.

A Chinese junk which has seen war service has been purchased by a well known Brooklynite and will be kept in the New York bay for use as a naval museum. It is of the type in use for the past 2,000 years and is built of teak wood. It is about 100 feet in length, 34 feet beam amidships, 14 feet 6 inches high above water; amidships it is 9 feet and aft it is 20 feet. Three masts of Chinese fir 90 feet high are in the boat. She is expected in April, with a crew of 20 Chinese sailors.

Trying to Establish Slavery.

The Chilean Western Courier states that the governor of the territory of Magallanes is brutally exterminating the Indians, some of whom he is distributing among his friends as slaves.

The senators are about to lay the matter officially before the government.—New York World.

Venus and Mars.

Going into war is a good deal like kissing a woman—it doesn't pay to be in too big a hurry.—Sparta Herald Advertisor.

His Principal Charm.

Needleson—Yes, we think a great deal of that parrot. I wouldn't take $100 for him.

Pinns—He isn't very handsome, but I suppose he's an excellent talker.

"No, he is not much given to talking."

"Won't talk?"

"Can't."—Chicago Tribune.

THE ATLANTA EXPOSITION.

Mr. Inman Says the Receipts Will Approximate $1,250,000.

When the Atlanta exposition gates closed on Dec. 31, the turnstiles indicated that since the opening day 1,286,863 persons had been admitted to the grounds. Of this number there were 817,028 paid admissions, including adults and children. The total figures include the admissions at the pass gates, paid admission gates and the wagon gates, through which the soldiers' invited guests have passed.

The following is a detailed statement of the attendance: Adults, paid admissions, 738,115; children, paid admissions, 79,813; passes, 434,935; wagon gates, 35,000. According to the best reports obtained, the exposition company had realized from the paid admissions $864,072.95. The percentage received through the concession department is figured at $115,654.32, and this, added to the gate receipts, makes the total receipts from these sources since the exposition opened $479,727.27, but there are other sources to hear from. According to the statement of Mr. S. M. Inman, who handled the financial department of the exposition for some time, the total receipts of the Exposition company will approximate $1,250,000, while the expenditures were not above these figures.

ROMANTIC REUNION.

A Deserted Wife In Baltimore True to the Man Who Left Her.

A romantic story comes from the town of Jerez, Mexico. Ten years ago a young American named Edward Roberts quarreled with his wife in Baltimore and left for South America.

After spending a few years in the mining camps of Colombia he went to Mexico and engaged in mining, with fairly profitable results. Two years ago he secured the position of superintendent of a paying mine near Jerez and has accumulated a comfortable fortune.

Recently it occurred to him to try to effect a reconciliation with his wife, from whom he had heard nothing since leaving her. He wrote a fond letter to her and invited her to join him in his Mexican home. The money was inclosed for her fare and expense of the journey and was duly received.

The joy the letter brought to the waiting woman's heart cannot be told, but she showed her devotion to her husband by leaving immediately for Mexico. She arrived a few days ago and took the first stage for Jerez.

The meeting between husband and wife was a joyous one, and they are now enjoying the mutual companionship that had been severed for ten years. Mr. Roberts is now greatly Mexicanized and is known as Eduardo Roberto.

TRUE TO HIS LOVE.

Did Not Marry Until He Found the Original of a Portrait.

A remarkable story is connected with the marriage of Mrs. A. H. Acken of St. Augustine, Fla., and W. D. M. Sorrell of Golden, Colo. The bridegroom is aged 73 and the bride 74.

Fifty years ago Sorrell saw a portrait of the lady and vowed he would never marry until he found the original. Years passed without Sorrell discovering his ladylove, but he never married. Three years ago Sorrell, who had acquired wealth at Golden, learned that the original of the photograph was Mrs. Acken, and that she was living at St. Augustine. Sorrell went there, but found the lady had a husband. Disconsolate, he returned home.

Two years ago Mrs. Acken's husband mysteriously disappeared and has never been heard of since. Sorrell returned and induced Mrs. Acken to get a divorce on the ground of desertion. Her wedding dress was a facsimile of the one she wore when sitting for the photograph that charmed Sorrell.—New York Recorder.

NEW CAP FOR THE SOLDIERS.

At West Point It Is Regarded as Unsightly and Uncomfortable.

A new cap is worn by the soldiers in the United States army. It was adopted by the army board about a year ago.

The cap is about 3½ inches high and has a flat crown and sloping visor about 2 inches wide. There is no braid or fancy work upon it, the only distinguishing marks being the corps device and a black leather strap about half an inch wide just above the visor. It follows the same pattern as the headgear of naval officers. It has been called the Copenhagen cap.

The only difference between the caps worn by the officers and men is that a black braid band about an inch wide and a gold cord are above the visor of the officers' caps and a gold eagle on the front with 13 gold stars.

At West Point the soldiers consider the cap awkward, unsightly and uncomfortable.—New York World.

Will Be a Good Orange Season.

California orange growers believe that this coming season is going to be an unusually prosperous one for them. The crop is not only in fine condition, but it is very much earlier than usual. The navel oranges, grown in northern California, were on the San Francisco market as early as the second week in November, and the southern California crop will be remarkably early. The growers figure that there will be no competition with California oranges in the east this year. The failure of the Florida crop will give them practically a clear field, they say. The California crop is from one-third to almost one-half as large again as it was last year, and if the expectations of high prices are realized an orange grove will be a bonanza this year.—New York Sun.

Rewards of Peace Loving.

The unparalleled prosperity of the United States has been due to the fact that we are a nation of peace lovers and peacemakers. During the last 79 years 79 great national controversies have been settled by arbitration, more than 40 of them by the United States.—Outlook.

Edison Proposed For Secretary of the Navy.

Thomas A. Edison, the proposed new secretary of the navy, would not be such a good sailor as Mr. Herbert, but he would be a better electrician.—Washington Capital.

To Atlanta's Midway.

It's over, it's over, it's over,
A dream in a vanishing sky—
A shubeam on meadows of clover;
Goodby to the midway—goodby!

It's over, it's over, it's over;
How sad that's its glories should die!
It stays not for grace or for Grover;
Goodby to the midway—goodby!

It's over, it's over, it's over,
A memory sweet, with a sigh;
Goodby to thee, beautiful Grover!
Goodby to the midway—goodby!
—Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution

Freeman
Photographer. Hildreth Building.

CUBAN REPUBLIC

May Be Established Six Months Hence.

MORE FIGHTING IS REPORTED NEAR HABANA

And Combined With Destruction of Property.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—At the state department it is said that no information has been received concerning the reported critical condition of affairs at Habana. As the navy department has no ships in Cuban waters, no information comes from that source. The intelligence from Cuba is of such an alarming character that some surprise is expressed, even by officials, that no word comes to the government as to the situation.

Minister de Lome has his patience sorely tried at the reports, which he regards as extravagant, and with the constant inquiries coming to him. The mention of the report that General Campos has resigned, or that Habana has fallen, is resented by him. He does not care to make denials, for he says these reports are such preposterous falsifications that he will not notice them.

It is learned that the chief purpose of the leaders of the Cuban revolutionary party in the United States in coming to Washington yesterday was to push vigorously the movement to secure recognition of the revolutionists by this government. They made to Secretary Olney a brief but forcible presentation of the claims of the insurgents to recognition. In addition, they presented to the secretary a great number of documents bearing on the origin, abuses, conditions and present status of the Cuban uprising, collected from official archives and unofficial sources.

Recently the house adopted a resolution, upon the recommendation of the committee on foreign affairs, calling upon the state department for all information in its possession concerning the revolution. President Palma and his associates at once began the compilation of evidence in justification of their cause, and are determined that congress shall not want for information. It is probable that the documents given to Secretary Olney or their substance will soon be transmitted to the house and referred to the foreign affairs committee.

There is a strong sentiment in the house, which has been advanced by the recent successes of the Cubans, that this government should do all in its power, consistent with international usages, to assist the patriots. Mr. Sulzer and several other members are endeavoring to assist the cause in congress.

President Palma predicts that the insurgents will capture Habana within three months, and that a Cuban republic will be established in six months if it has the recognition of the United States.

The Latest News From Habana

is to the effect that the sounds of cannon and musketry have been heard in the neighborhood of Guanajay, an important town of 4000 inhabitants in Pinar del Rio, 45 miles southward of Habana. It is supposed that an engagement is taking place there between the forces of General Suarez Valdez and the insurgents, but the numbers engaged or the course which the fortune of the fight is taking is not known.

The insurgents are burning and destroying up to within eight miles of Habana. The district around the village of Calabazar suffered yesterday. Calabazar is only two miles from Vento, where the apparatus is located upon which Habana depends for its water supply. In the Calabazar and Hoyo Colorado districts the cane has been burned in the fields of Maulin, Garro and Baracoa.

The insurgents commanded by Zayas were reported at different times Monday at Caimeto, Guayabal, Hoyo Colorado and Punto Brava, showing that he followed pretty closely the line between the provinces of Pinar del Rio and Habana up to the extreme northeastern portion of Pinar del Rio. This brought him into the region into which large numbers of troops have been sent to guard the western approach to Habana. It does not appear that the insurgents were in any great force, and no engagements are reported.

The fields of the Valdespindo estate have been burned, and the villages of Puerto La Guira and Marrero have also been put to the torch, after being plundered, according to the report received here.

The influx of refugees from the whole of the territory surrounding Habana continues, and apparently it is not possible to obtain sufficient means of transportation to accommodate the fleeing families and their household goods. The country seems to be entirely abandoned to the insurgent army, and no movement apparently prevails to check them.

The eastern portion of the island seems not to have been entirely stripped of an effective force of insurgents. A report from Santa Clara says that the troops encountered the insurgent band led by Pancho Carillo, and in the battle which ensued sustained a loss of 50.

Hope Child In Good Hands.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 8.—Judge Spink, in the municipal court, yesterday, gave Charles H. Thurber, agent of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, charge of little Goldie Hope, the child who was abducted from Boston nearly three years ago. Agent Thurber says that he will keep the child a while longer, and will probably turn her over to Mrs. Hope, after further investigation. He believes Mrs. Hope is entitled to the child, although he feels bound to make further inquiries regarding her history.

Hurd Will Plead Not Guilty.

BIDDEFORD, Me., Jan. 8. — Alfred J. Hurd, the patricide, is now confined in the county jail awaiting the report of the grand jury, which is now sitting. Hurd has said all along that he would plead guilty to the charge of murder, but he has changed his mind since receiving a letter from his mother, and will plead "Not guilty." He further says he will tell the truth. He has been sick for two days, and is confined to his bed in the cell.

Mystery of the Deep.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8. — The British tank steamer Wildflower, Captain Stonewell, which sailed from Philadelphia, Dec. 11, for Rouen, France, with 1,174,235 gallons of crude oil in bulk, valued at $59,653, and manned by a crew of 30 men, is believed to have blown up or foundered at sea, and all hands perished, no tidings having been received from the ship since she left the Delaware Breakwater that day.

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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Eastern freight rates are to be advanced.

Montreal is to have a $6,000,000 bridge.

The price of bessemer ore is to be increased.

Philip Reclam, the publisher, died at Leipsic.

Consolidation of art societies in New York under way.

The New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio railroad is to be sold.

A scientist has discovered a light which will penetrate wood or flesh.

Incoming vessels at Boston are coated with ice for 20 feet above the water.

Dean B. Mason, vice consul general of the United States at Vienna, is dead.

Anti-Platt Republicans of New York city have decided not to bolt at present.

Italy's hold over Abyssinia is regarded in St. Petersburg as extremely tenuous.

Secretary of State and Mrs Olney gave a dinner to the president and the cabinet.

F. M. Forbes, class of '90, of Paris, was chosen captain of the Harvard senior crew.

The New York police commissioners are not alarmed at the alleged increase of crime.

English capitalists are said to consider the report of the Nicaragua commission unfair and absurd.

Rev. Harold Pattison of Rochester has accepted a call to become pastor of the First Baptist church at Hartford.

Zimmerman & Forshay have deposited $500,000 in gold with the New York subtreasury in exchange for greenbacks.

A private dinner to Governor Coffin of Connecticut and members of his staff was given at New York by Henry H. Adams.

John Evans & Son, Providence, manufacturers of steam heaters, assigned. The amount of assets and liabilities are unknown.

In response to the call of Captain Brewer for track athletes to train for the Mott Haven games, 151 candidates presented themselves.

A freight train plunged through an open draw on the bridge spanning the Rigolets, near New Orleans. Three white tramps were killed.

There is a movement afoot among temperance people to find indictments against every liquor dealer doing business in Manchester, N. H.

At Columbus, O., Judge Pugh charged the grand jury concerning alleged bribery of a member of the last legislature. The name is not known.

Padan Bros. & Co., Portsmouth, O., manufacturers of ladies' shoes, one of the largest houses in the west, assigned. Assets, $180,000; liabilities, $150,000.

Charles C. Bassett, known to the sporting fraternity all over the country and a prominent figure in the frontier days of Kansas, died at Hot Springs, Ark.

The annual meeting of the Maine Sportsmen's Fish and Game association was held in Bangor. Measures were adopted for the further protection of game in Maine.

Tilton H. Doolittle, since 1879 state attorney for New Haven county, Conn., tendered his resignation. Judge Wheeler, in accepting the resignation, praised Mr. Doolittle's services.

John V. Barker, aged 89, father of Judge James M. Barker of the Massachusetts supreme court, died at Pittsfield, Mass. Mr. Barker was a member of the legislature in 1848, 1862 and 1867.

The Dr. S. F. Smith memorial committee have decided to make efforts to have the Smith homestead preserved intact. The rooms will be left as they were at the time of the author's death.

Fire at Bristol, Vt., destroyed the Commercial House, barn with nine horses, one cow, three hogs, wagon, carriages and other contents, and the house and blacksmith shop of F. Greenough.

The weavers at Olneyville, R. I., have appointed a committee to prepare a bill of particulars in regard to the fine system prevailing in the mills there. The bill will be presented to the legislature.

In behalf of the Armenian relief fund, Boston theater was filled at a matinee. The performance included numbers by theatrical people and companies who are playing at the several theaters here.

The Vermont Dairymen's association opened its session in Rutland, Vt. The annual address was delivered by President Sanford, and a musical and literary program was carried out by the ladies' auxiliary.

The third annual convention of the Massachusetts State Association of Spiritualists was held at Boston. The sessions were devoted mainly to the presentation of reports and the reading of the annual address.

The internal revenue collections for the district comprising Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont show an increase of $4000 in December over the same month in 1894. The receipts were $33,794, and the total for the year $504,749.

Boxing Licenses Raise a Rumpus.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—Seldom has any action of the board of aldermen brought about so much hostile criticism as is prevalent over the granting of nine boxing licenses. Particularly is this the case for the exhibition scheduled for Feb. 22, which was stated to be for the benefit of Carney hospital. The members of the hospital executive committee were closeted yesterday with Mayor Quincy, and protested in a vigorous manner. The mayor explained that he was powerless in the matter, and that it lay solely with the board of aldermen, who granted the licenses. An effort will be made to introduce legislation that will placing the granting of such licenses in the hands of the board of police commissioners.

The Boy's View of It.

Mother—she's always a-sayin, she is,
Boys must be looked after—got to be strict.
When I tear my breeches like Billy tears his,
It helps 'em considerable when I am licked!
But it ain't leapin over the fence or the post—
It's jest that same lickin 'at tears 'em the most!

Mother—she's always a-sayin to me
Boys must have people to foller 'em roun,
Never kin tell where they're goin to be,
Sure to git lost an then have to be found,
An then, when they find 'em, they're so full
of joy
They can't keep from lovin an lickin the boy!

There's Jimmy Johnson—got lost on the road;
Daddy wuz drivin to market one day,
Fell out the wagon, an nobody knowed
Till they come to a halt an his daddy said:
"Hey!
Wonder where Jimmy has gone to?" But Jim—
Waren't no two hosses could keep up with him!

Jest kep a-goin an got to a place
Where wuz a circus, took up with the clown,
Cut off his ringlets, an painted his face,
An then come right back to his daddy's own
town!
An what do you reckon? His folks didn't know
An paid to see Jimmy that night in the show!

An there's Billy Jenkins—he jest run away
(Folks at his house wuzn't treatin him right)
Went to the place where the red Injuns stay,
An once, when his daddy wuz travelin at
night
An the Injuns took after him, hollerin loud,
Bill run to his rescue an scalped the whole
crowd!

No use in talkin—boys don't have no show!
Wuzn't fer people a-follerin 'em roun
Jest ain't no tellin how fast they would grow.
Bet you they'd fool everybody in town!
But mother—she says they need lickin, an so
They're too busy hollerin to git up an grow!
—Frank L. Stanton in Chicago Times-Herald.



Little Jones (hard of speech): "C-c-confound you, yo-y-y-you're"—
Gigantic Countryman (hard of hearing): "Ah, excuse me. I'm rather"—
Little Jones: "Y-y-you're s-s-standing on my toe!"
Gigantic Countryman: "I beg your pardon." (Steps off.)—Pick Me Up.

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SUN SETS	4 29	FULL SEA	5 15 AM
LENGTH OF DAY	9 16		5 45 PM

Forecast for Maine: Fair, except light snows on the coast; warmer; winds becoming northeasterly.

For Vermont and New Hampshire: Fair in northern, light snow in southern portions; warmer; northeasterly winds.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Snow; warmer; northeasterly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

When in doubt, smoke Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

Artists materials of all descriptions at Coburn's, Market street.

The Lowell Wall Paper Co.; all styles; all prices, 18 Church street.

Mt. Zion lodge, I. O. G. T., entertained visitors from Nashua last night.

For Lacawana coal go to Rourke & Sullivan', 984 Gorham street.

February is quarter month at Washington Savings bank—Interest 4 per cent.

The quarterly meeting of the Middlesex Unitarian Ministers' association was held yesterday at the home of Rev. Mr. Prince in Chelmsford Center.

An illustrated lecture on the subject: "Picturesque Italy," will be given in the Immaculate Conception school hall, Sunday evening, Jan. 12, 1896, by Miss Anna Seaton Schmidt of Washington, D. C. Doors open after vespers.

The Elks held a social session last evening with an oyster chowder as a feature. An extensive and highly enjoyable musical program followed. Messrs. Martin, Vincellette, Prof. Michel and Paine's colored quartet participating.

There'll be trotting on the river Sunday if it is possible to get sleighs up there according to "Doc' Evans, the ice king." He is arranging for a track which will be completed Sunday with the help of a little snow. "Doc" has built a fine track on Lake Massabesic near Manchester, N. H., and the people up there are having great fun.

Woman's Club.

At the Woman's Educational club, yesterday afternoon, the subject discussed was, "Theosophy." An able paper on the subject was read by Mrs. Scales and was followed by an interesting talk by Miss Guild.

The Whittier Mill Opened.

Mrs. Helen A. Whittier of this city on Monday pressed the electric button which started the machinery in the new Whittier cotton mill on the Chattahootchee river, six miles from Atlanta. The construction of the mill began last spring. It cost $200,000, has 1000 spindles and employs nearly 400 operatives.

Notre Dame Reading Circle.

At the last meeting of the Notre Dame Reading circle which was held Sunday in the convent library, the works of John Boyle O'Reilly were discussed. Two highly entertaining papers were read by Misses Mary J. Callahan and Nellie Lynch.

Miss Ella O'Hearn rendered O'Reilly's "Jacquesmots" set to music very sweetly and for an encore rendered another of the poet's beautiful creations.

COLD WAVE GONE

And a Light Snow Storm Spoils the Skating.

The weather bureau struck it right yesterday in predicting a rise in the temperature, and slight snow for last night, as the mercury went up to a bearable degree and the snow fell. The latter didn't amount to much. The Lowell & Suburban railroad ran out three plows, but they were hardly needed, as the scrapers did the work. There was but little delay on the Nashua, Billerica, Chelmsford and North Chelmsford lines, and the cars from Lawrence and Lynn were practically on time.

It had one bad feature, however, for it spoiled the skating for a time at least.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

The following clipping tells of the origin of the title "Father of his country" by which George Washington is known:

"It appears says the Republic, that it was a Catholic clergyman who first called George Washington by that title which has since been so universally bestowed upon him whenever his illustrious name is mentioned. The first observance of Washington's birthday was held in St. Mary's church, Philadelphia, on Feb. 22, 1800, and on that occasion a eulogy was pronounced by Rev. Matthew Carr, O. S. A., who called the first President "the father of his country." In reporting the eulogy the Pennsylvania Gazette of the following week said that "Fr. Carr has given Gen. George Washington a name which will live forever," and its prediction has certainly been well verified up to the present time."

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Music Hall.

The attraction for this afternoon and tonight at this popular amusement house will be "Down on the Farm," presented by a capable company of people with their own scenery and mechanical effects. The production is similar to Denman Thompson's "Old Homestead," and numerous specialties are introduced, including singing by the Empire City Quartet.

A large audience witnessed the play last night and applauded loudly.

NEWHALL IS ALIVE.

Alderman Tryder Wants to See Him And Put Him to Work.

Alderman Tryder has received a postal card from Newhall, the man who was supposed to have committed suicide stating that he is still in the flesh. The card reads:

"Please permit me to state the fact that your supposition is erroneous, as regards the fate of your unfortunate visitor that Thursday evening, inasmuch as I am yet in this world of woes and strifes (a most beautiful world, but very horrid people generally). Thanks to you and your wife for your sympathy."

This is signed John E. Newhall.

Mr. Tryder wants to see the man now that he can give him a job on the street department in place of some of the men who are to get the bounce.

Skates, Skates.

Long reach skates 25 cents a pair. Barney and Berry skates with a pound of tea, all our skates at away down prices. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

Bowling, Billards, Pool.

Tournaments and prizes at Les Miserables, East Merrimack street.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

LAID DOWN ARMS

The Reformers Submitted to Governor Robinson.

IN THE TRANSVAAL CAUSING MORE EXCITEMENT.

Flying Squadron Being Prepared For Action.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Governor Robinson has telegraphed to the colonial office, under date of Pretoria, Jan. 7, as follows: "The reform committee have resolved to relinquish their arms and to comply with the demands of the Transvaal government. The Johannesburgers have placed themselves unreservedly in my hands, confident that I will see justice done."



HERCULES ROBINSON.

After consulting the Transvaal government, Sir Hercules Robinson informed the Rand people that they would be allowed 24 hours from noon to relinquish their arms unconditionally.

A dispatch from Johannesburg, dated Jan. 1, and others dated since that time, show that the citizens were well armed and organized, under the leadership of Colonel Frank Rhodes and Mr. Farrar to secure the redress of grievances without intending an offensive movement, but only desiring to show the government that they were ready to fight if compelled to do so. All the Transvaal police were withdrawn from the town and concentrated at the jail, while a force of 500 Boers commanded the jail from a ridge.

Meantime the reform committee pledged themselves to abstain from violence and not to aid Dr. Jameson, provided he should be allowed to enter the town unmolested, and they guaranteed that he should be sent back.

Long dispatches from Cape Town describe the intense feeling at the failure of the Johannesburgers to succor Dr. Jameson, but the National Union delegate says that a disobedience of Governor Robinson's orders would have frustrated his delicate mission of mediation, and all the old animosities of the Majuba times would have been revived. The people are angry and at cross purposes, but are unanimous in their enthusiasm for Dr. Jameson.

A dispatch from Johannesburg says that that Colonel Rhodes told the crowd the whole truth, declaring that it was the bitterest moment of his life. The committee never imagined that Dr. Jameson was in such desperate straits, having received hopeful messages.

Warlike Doings.

The Times this morning makes the following announcement: Orders have been sent to Portsmouth, Devonport and Chatham for the immediate commissioning of six ships to form a flying squadron, the object of which is obviously to have a squadron ready for any required emergency. It will be composed of two first-class battleships, two first-class and two second-class cruisers. Probably the Royal Oak and the Revenge will be chosen.

The possibility of the commissioning of such a squadron at a moment's notice shows that our resources are better than are supposed, and are proof that our naval organization has greatly improved of late years. It has also been decided to dispatch a naval force to Delagoa Bay, but it is unknown whether it will be composed of vessels from the Cape or from the East Indies.

In an editorial The Times hopes that the Mediterranean fleet will be withdrawn from Salonica and ordered elsewhere and prepared for emergencies.

The Times congratulates the country upon the foregoing news, and, with reference to a reiteration by its Berlin correspondent of the statement that Germany had intended to land marines at Lorenzo Marquez for the invasion of the Transvaal, and had only abandoned the intention on hearing of Dr. Jameson's defeat, The Times says:

This is a grave statement, and we refuse to believe that Portugal would have lent herself to such a move. But it proves that German interference was not the result of sudden indignation at Dr. Jameson's action, but had been meditated and discussed and presumably concerted with the Boers. Emperor William's indignation must accordingly be regarded in the light of diplomatic histrionics. It is a tradition of German policy to prepare a coup secretly and then to give it an air of coming about by an unfortunate accident. There is grave reason to suspect that she has long harbored hostile designs. This theory will explain the Boers' extraordinary obstinacy in refusing moderate concessions to the Uitlanders.

The Globe prints some sensational news under scare head lines, and states that the war office sent a special military messenger yesterday afternoon to the colonial office, and that it is rumored important orders are impending.

A dispatch received here from the military camp at Aldershot says that the general belief, almost backed by proof, prevails there that the authorities are considering the mobilizing of the army reserves and part of the militia. The men employed in the ordnance stores are all very busy.

The Daily Telegraph announces that it has been decided to intercept the troops in transit to and from India in order to send strong re-enforcements of infantry and cavalry to the Cape. This paper also states that troops in addition will be sent from England, and that a first-class cruiser has been ordered to Delagoa Bay.

The correspondent of The Standard at Aldershot believes that there is a question of calling out the army reserve and a portion of the militia. The Duke of Connaught and the chief staff officers, this correspondent says, are busy at headquarters and are in constant communication with the war office.

A special dispatch from Berlin says that Dr. Leyds, the secretary of state for the Transvaal, has received a dispatch which states that the Transvaal demands from England an indemnity of £500,000 for Dr. Jameson's invasion.

Williams Gets Five Years.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 8.—The trial of Frank Williams, alleged murderer of Harvey Pelletier, closed yesterday. The jury, after being out 1¼ hours, brought in a verdict of manslaughter. Williams waived his right to a new trial, and was sentenced to serve five years in the state prison.

KEEPS IT HANDY

Lowell People are Classing Them Among the Necessities.

"Handy to have in the house," is an old expression, and relates to those things that emergency demands. Our good old grandmothers always kept a full stock of them, and that is where the old saying came from. Tried and true remedies soon become a part of the household dispensary, and this is right. In those olden days kidney troubles meant send for the doctor. Today, Doan's Kidney Pills in the house are the safeguards against backaches, urinary derangement, pains in the kidneys and all the miseries they bring. They are the sure cure for any stage of kidney complaint and a very important feature with them is that they do not affect any healthy condition of any part of the system. They are simply kidney remedies and do their work. Ladies, far more than men, appreciate such remedies. The constant going up and down stairs and ordinary bending and stooping necessary in house work tells on the kidneys, and having something sure to dispel the complaint "handy" is the right thing to do. Mrs. Charles Slowey, 641 Market street, tells us her complaint began with backache, then soreness across the kidneys, followed by urinary trouble. Going up and down stairs was painful. The urine was scant and pained in passage. Indigestion added its weight, and she was thoroughly depressed. She says: "I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills and got them at Ellingwood & Co's, Merrimack and Central streets, and I want to say now I have no more pains or urinary trouble. Going up and down stairs doesn't bother me, and the urine is natural. Doan's Kidney Pills did it, and I now have a box in the house that we all take on the first intimation of any more backache."

Price 50 cents per box; for sale by all dealers, or mailed by Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

MGR. SATOLLI'S MISSION

TO THE UNITED STATES A COMPLETE SUCCESS.

What the Boston Herald Says Upon the Subject—United the Church and Disarmed Prejudice.

The Boston Herald has the following interesting article in regard to the mission of Cardinal Satolli:

The elevation of Mgr. Satolli to the cardinalate on Sunday in Baltimore, and his investment with the robes of his office, was an imposing function, and was the second or third time that it had been performed in this country. Though he will remain there a while before returning to Rome to receive the red hat from the Pope, his work as the papal ablegate is practically at an end, and it is a proper time to sum up what he has accomplished during his residence as a special officer of the church of Rome in this country. He has stood before the people with the constitution in one hand and the bible in the other, emphasizing the fact that American principles are to be placed in the front, and that no Irish, no German and no Italian faction has any right to put itself forward and claim recognition. He has put an end to these parties and taught that we are one people, and that the dividing lines of race and religion are not to be maintained in the United States. Within the church he has compelled a recognition of the canon law by both bishops and priests, and has insisted that it shall not be disregarded by any one. When he first came there were many cases of discipline awaiting adjustment, but now they have all disappeared, and as much harmony exists as could be expected in a large organization where there are wide differences of opinion. The mission of Cardinal Satolli has had the effect, within the church, of increasing the respect for law. It has composed differences and put aside those who were trying to bring into this country the prejudices of race and religion that exist in the old world, and it has specially removed the stigma that the Roman Catholic church is endeavoring to carry out a policy that is hostile to American institutions. He has won the respect of all Americans and united the church in which he serves.

BOWLING NEWS.

The Highlands were beaten again last night when the Charlestown bowlers put up a score of 2653 while the Highlands were knocking down 2542 pins. The Highlands led on the first string by 37 pins but were easily overtaken and passed. The score:

Charlestown—Ingraham 560, Willett 552, Kenney 512, Caldwell 524, Marston 505; totals 2653.

Highlands—Church 512, Leighton 482, Barton 517, Dickerman 514, Lewis 517; totals 2542.

The Lowells Beaten.

Ed. Morse's Nashua team of the Merrimack Valley league defeated the Lowell's last night by the following score:

Nashua—Boire 498, Atwood 465, Fuller 508, Degnan 472, Fogarty 564; totals 2507.

Lowell—Hartwell 402, Savage 418, Fullerton 463, Boulger 528; total 2326.

Victorious Wholesale Grocers.

On the Olympic alleys last night the Wholesale Grocers vanquished their old foes, the Armours, by a score of 2375 to 2247.

2336 to 2235.

The Merrimacks were defeated by the Centrals on the Olympic alleys last night, 2336 to 2235. A big crowd of rooters was present.

Y. M. C. I's vs. Middlesex.

On the Young Men's alleys last night, the Y. M. C. I. team defeated the Middlesex team of the Merrimack Valley league, by 59 pins. Beauregard was high roller with 564. The Y. M. C. I's led by 27 pins at the end of the first string and increased the margin in each other string. Five men in all were under 500. The score:

Y. M. C. I's—Farley 455, Carney 530, O'Sullivan 556, McMahon 561, Dunham 490; total 2592.

Middlesex—Beauregard 564, Gregory 484, Halstead 491, Clogston 513, Smith 481; total 2533.

CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEES.

Mayor Courtney And President Webster Will Consult.

One of the republican councilmen said last evening that President Webster will not name his committees till Mayor Courtney appoints the committees of the upper board.

Mayor Courtney said last night that before appointing his committees he will consult with Mr. Webster so that both may announce their committees at the same time.

Mr. Webster is quoted as saying that no democratic councilmen will be appointed to the lands and buildings committee.

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ENGLAND WRONG

So Says a Prominent British Subject.

PREDICTS DEFEAT FOR ENGLAND IN WRONG CAUSE.

Favors Arbitration of the Venezuelan Dispute.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Sir Edward Clarke, speaking at Plymouth last evening, in referring to Venezuela, said: "We must not be too impatient or angry with the Monroe doctrine. If we refused to arbitrate, except outside the Schomburgk line, we should have war with the United States, and a war in which we would not be right. Each side must yield to some extent. To say that a line fixed in 1840 was unalterable was to adopt as unreasonable an attitude as the United States adopted in President Cleveland's message."

He hoped, he said, that the government would resume negotiations with Venezuela direct, and some mediator would be found whose judgment could be accepted with honor by both countries. In that case, he continued, we might be called upon to bear taunts both here and in America. It would not be pleasant to hear that we had yielded after President Cleveland's message, but he did not believe in a bastard honor which feared to do justice because justice had been demanded with insult or menace.

It was our business especially to face the fearful calamity of war with America, to make up our minds to what was right, and to do the right calmly and on the authority, regardless of taunt, and content that we had helped to preserve peace by the only conduct worthy of a great nation.

Imprisonment For Life.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—Robert J. Cody, the highwayman, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Sherman to the Charlestown state prison for life. He was convicted for highway robbery of $100 from Albert E. Chadbourne, being armed with a loaded revolver, with the intent to kill and maim. It was committed Nov. 30, 1893, in a doorway, Cody being helped in the job by his pal, Brown, who is at present serving a sentence in a state institution.

Uncle Sam Well Represented.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The continued reports of the assembling of a large United States fleet in Turkish waters are discredited by those in a position to know at the navy department. It is pointed out that the fleet already there are ample to give any moral effect to such urgent demands on Turkey as this government might determine upon. This fleet is said to equal that of any of the European powers, although their interests in Turkey are far more important than those of the United States.

Clifton Still on the Shoals.

CHATHAM, Mass., Jan. 8.—The British schooner Clifton is still ashore on Shovelful shoals. Tugs Mercury and Kate Jones unsuccessfully tried to float her yesterday. As steam pumps keep the vessel clear of water, it is hoped that she can be saved. The crew have gone on board again, but the lifesavers will take them off in event of a storm.

Probably Stopped Over.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—No alarm is felt at the navy department over the U. S. S. Baltimore, reported at San Francisco to be overdue. She was under sailing orders to stop at Yokohama, and if she had laid up there a week for any cause she would not yet be due.

Live Stock Markets.

Amount of live stock on the markets at Brighton and Watertown:

	Cattle.	Sheep and Lambs.	Swine.
Western	2,738	13,935	31,700
Massachusetts	101	357	33
Maine	104	813	4
New Hampshire	143	1,003	20
Vermont	198	2,257	97
Totals	3,272	18,400	31,857

Prices for market beef—A few choice, $6@7; extra, $5.50@5.75; first quality, $5@5.25; second quality, $4@4.50; third quality, $3@3.50.

Prices for store cattle—Working oxen, ₱ pair, $90@140; farrow cows, $10@22; fancy cows, $50@55; milch cows and calves, $30@45; yearlings, $8@16; 2-year-olds, $12@22; 3-year-olds, $20@32.

Western fat swine—Live, 3½@4¼c; northern dressed hogs, 4¾c ₱ lb.

Prices for sheep and lambs—In lots, $1.50@2@2.50 each; extra, $2.75@3, or 1½@4c ₱ lb; lambs, 3@5c; veal calves, 2½@5¾c.

Prices of hides, tallow and skins—Brighton hides, 4½@5¾c ₱ lb; tallow, 3@4c ₱ lb; country hides, 3½@4¼c ₱ lb; country tallow, 1½@2c ₱ lb; pelts, 35@55 each; calf skins, 60@$1 each; dairy skins, 35@40c each.

Cattle—Supply of cattle runs heavy from the west, of which exporters have the lion's share. The market for cattle was considered ¼c better than last week, which called in more northern stock. Good butchering cattle were in demand, with no improvement in common grades.

Milch cows—A good supply, with no improvement in demand. Values at $30@60 for the most part.

Fat hogs—Market rules ¼c higher, with western at 3¾@4¼c ₱ lb, l. w. Country lots at 4¼c ₱ lb, d. w.

Sheep—The market west has improved on good quality lambs and sheep, which has a tendency to strengthen prices here. Good country were sold a little better. Common flocks were sold at no higher bids.

NO Gripe Growl or Grind

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Cathartic as Hood's Pills. They are a whole medicine chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory; prevent a cold or fever, cure all liver ills, relieve sick headache, biliousness, jaundice, nausea, heartburn, constipation, etc. Especially valuable to take after dinner, to prevent distress and aid digestion. Be sure to get

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DIARIES FOR 1896.

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BAY STATE LEGISLATURE

HOUSE YIELDS TO SENATE IN DEADLOCK.

Many Petitions and Measures of General Interest Introduced.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—The general court committee on rules had a meeting yesterday and agreed to recommend to the legislature that the house recede so far as its action consolidated the committees on taxation and finance, and that the former committee remain as hitherto; further that the joint committee on expenditures shall consist of the committee on treasury of the senate and ways and means of the house. In effect, this leaves the committees as in former years, except that the name of the house committee on taxation is changed to committee on ways and means.

The following petitions were received in the senate: For incorporation of the Malden Trust company to maintain a safe deposit, loan and trust company in the city of Malden; for biennial elections; for incorporation of the Amherst and Sunderland Electric Street Railway company, capital stock $50,000; for the incorporation of the Gardner Home for Elderly People.

Mayor Harwood of Lynn petitions that the city of Lynn be relieved from the assessments levied by the metropolitan park commissioners, under the act that established the board, on the city of Lynn. He asks that the assessments be reduced or wholly taken off.

Mr. Reed introduced a bill providing that no one shall offer or expose for sale or have in his possession partridges or ruffed grouse after Nov. 1 of any year or before Sept. 15 of the succeeding year.

Among the petitions presented in the house were the following: Of Frederick Bleiler, that he may be given a seat as representative from the Twenty-second Suffolk representative district; of James F. Ryan, for a seat as representative from the Sixteenth Suffolk district; of the city of Salem, for the establishment of a reserve police force; of the city of Pittsfield, for authority to increase the sources of its water supply; of the Lowell and Suburban Street Railway company, praying for the extension of its corporate powers; of the Pittsfield Electric Street Railway company, for authority to construct and operate its railway in the town of Dalton; of the town of Falmouth, for legislation to enable the towns of the county of Barnstable to construct a highway and bridge across streams and ponds in Falmouth.

Mr. Rourke put in a bill constituting eight hours a day's work for state, county, city and town employes.

The Birdjik Slaughter.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8. — The Turkish legation here has received from the sublime porte the following telegram under date of Jan. 7: "The incident provoked by the Armenians at Birdjik had very serious importance. Order has been restored. Thirty-one Mussulmans and Armenians were killed and 50 wounded. No disorders have taken place anywhere else."

Undue Influence Claimed.

NASHUA, N. H., Jan. 8.—The heirs of J. W. White were granted a jury trial in this city yesterday in the suit against the widow of the deceased for a division of the estate, valued at $300,000. It is claimed that undue influence was used by the widow on her husband, who was feebleminded before his death, thus getting all the property into her hands.

MRS. DAVIDSON'S CAREER

As Related by Herself Upon the Witness Stand.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—The preliminary examination of Mrs. Mary A. Davidson, charged with extorting $500 from Rev. Dr. C. O. Brown, was resumed in the police court yesterday. Mrs. Davidson testified that she was born in Bangor, Me. When she was 8 years old she moved to Bucksport. She was married there to Franklin Pierce, who was, during the civil war, a major. When he went to the front, she, too, went and volunteered her services, working on the field and in the hospital. After the war was over she returned with her husband to Bucksport. He had resigned from the army just prior to the close of the war. He died in 1869.

She subsequently married Thomas Y. Davidson. She came to California on Jan. 9, two years ago, to show corsets at the midwinter fair, and has lived here ever since. She became acquainted with Mattie Overman at Rev. Mr. Rollins' mansion. About two months ago she met her at Dr. Brown's.

She was never a member of Dr. Brown's church, but at the solicitation of Dr. Brown and the superintendent of the Sunday school she took a Bible class, and he had praised her work in that capacity both before and after the date on which he paid her the $500. He had also eulogized her to the other members of the Sunday school and of the church in her presence. She narrated her intimacy with Mattie Overman, whom she accuses jointly with Dr. Brown, and told how she had secured the girl's confidence.

Think Premier Incompetent.

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—In the house of commons yesterday G. E. Foster, ex-minister of finance, made a statement in reference to the causes which had actuated himself and six colleagues in resigning their positions as cabinet members. The sole reason given was that the seceding ministers had no confidence in Bowell's leadership. They contended that Bowell was incompetent to lead the government. Bowell made a statement in the senate that he would go on with remedial legislation. He stigmatized the action of the seven ministers who seceded as unfair, undignified and uncalled for. It is not thought probable that Bowell's government will be able to carry remedial legislation.

Given Thirteen Years.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—"Dr." H. E. Bishop, alias H. A. Bailey, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Sherman to 13 years in the state prison. On Oct. 24, 1894, he performed a criminal surgical operation on Petrena Matson, which caused her to die a few days after. The court said that it could not help feeling that a man who attempted to perform delicate operations of the kind which the defendant did, ought to have the skill commensurate with the task, and that the business as carried on by the defendant, who was, as appears, a butcher before he practiced such operations, was nothing less than pure butchery. Accordingly the sentence was made stern.

Tragedy In a Church.

WATERBURY, Conn., Jan. 8.—Joseph Duleiksie was fatally shot at a wedding in the Polish church here yesterday by Finan Juzinie. The latter escaped. The two quarreled over family affairs.

FOR BEAUTY

For comfort, for improvement of the complexion, use only Pozzoni's Powder; there is nothing equal to it.

The Bay State's Dollars.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—The annual report of Chief Wade of the Massachusetts district police shows that 5060 mechanical, manufacturing and mercantile establishments were inspected during the year. The whole number of children employed in factories and workshops visited is 13,893; children employed between 13 and 14 years of age, 302; young persons employed between 14 and 16 years of age, 13,590; number of males employed, 232,317; number of females employed, 157,122; whole number of males and females employed, 389,439. The report devotes considerable space to the ventilation of factories, workshops, schoolhouses and public buildings.

In an Awful Plight.

ATCHISON, Kan., Jan. 8.—A letter was received here yesterday saying that the family of Frank McCain, formerly a merchant here, were snowbound and starving in the mountains, 19 miles from Winthrop, Wash. The letter was written by the oldest son, who by great effort got through the storm-drifts to Winthrop. McCain had become insane. There were seven children in the family.

Curtis Gave Good Share.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—According to the account of the treasurer of the Republican Citizens' committee, filed with the city clerk, the recent city campaign fund aggregated $6715.41, to which Mayor Curtis contributed $1065.41. The entire fund was disbursed, the newspapers receiving $1400.

Cook to Succeed Anderson.

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 8.—The protracted contest over the Nashua police commissionership was ended yesterday by the appointment of Frank D. Cook by Governor Busiel to succeed Commissioner Anderson. The nomination was confirmed by the council.

The newly elected officers of the Sons and Daughters of Maine were installed last evening at Post 120 hall, a supper and entertainment following the exercises.

Next Monday night, the special committee appointed by Mayor Courtney will grant a hearing to those who are opposed to the appointment of John J. McManus and Michael J. O'Boyle as constables. The hearing will be held in the public hearing room.

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One lot 32-inch Jackets of Rough Cheviot Cloth, 1-2 lined with satin, regular price $9.50, for this sale only $3.95.

One lot Fancy Cloth Jackets, in tan checks and mixtures, box front, regular price $9.75, for this sale only $4.75.

60 Children's Gretchens with cape, sizes from 4 to 14 years, regular price $3.50, for this sale only 98c.

Jackets that have been $16.50, $19.50, $22.50 your choice $12.50.

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The greatest slaughter in prices of new, stylish Cloaks and Capes ever heard of. Our best bargains are going fast, still some good ones remain. Be on hand at once if you want to secure a Cloak of any style, color or quality

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Special low prices Wednesday and Thursday on black and colored Dress Goods, Silks, Satins, Blankets, Comforters, Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves, etc.

200 pairs Fine 1-4 Blankets, 95c., were $1.25.

100 Large Honeycomb Bedspreads, 59c., were 75c.

1500 yards Pure Linen Crash, 6 1-4c., was 10c.

100 yards Fine Colored Satins, 25c., was 50c.

50 dozen Large Linen Towels, 10c., were 15c.

500 yards Heavy Linen Damask 29c., was 50c.

50 dozen pairs 4-Button Heavy Undressed Kid Gloves, all perfect, 50c. pair, never sold less than $1.

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A Business Jar Threw this Chance in Our Way and in Yours too.

A manufacturer wanted to take nothing in stock but cash. We traded cash for the last of his goods, allowing him just half of the lowest prices he got for the bulk of the same goods. A complete list of our offerings today would be tiresomely long. Take hints for lists, and a visit rather than either. There is no other way but the seeing for you to distinguish the sort we sell from the disappointing kinds with which the city is overstocked.

JUST A HINT OF THE BARGAINS.

White and Gray Blankets sold this season $1.75 to $2, only 98c. a pair.

A vast lot of 11-4 Blankets that sold from $4.75 to $5.50 down to $2.98 a pair.

70 pairs of White Wool 11-4 Blankets, sold to date $6 to $7, only $3.49 a pair.

All our California and Ohio All-Wool Blankets that sold all season from $7 to $15, will be offered today at half price.

IN BED COMFORTABLES

We offer some excellent values from 75c. to $2.98 each and a splendid lot of Down Puffs, made from French Satine in beautiful designs at $3.98 each.

OUR CLEARANCE SALE OF DRESS GOODS

Which opened Monday should be remembered. The vast stock offered in this department scores an advantage in quantities, qualities, and true cheapness over former clearance sales.

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